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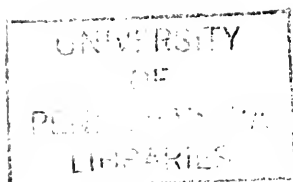
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COMMON COUNCIL.

FRIDAY, October 13th, 1848.

The following named gentlemen, members elect of the Common Council, to wit :

Messrs. Amos,
Christian,
Davis,
Derbyshire,
Fisher,
Gemmill,
Gerhard,
Godley,
Hutchinson,
Lancaster,

Messrs. Lennig,
Lewis,
Mentz,
Orne,
Poulson,
Thomas,
Thompson,
Watt,
Wilcox,
Snowden.

Assembled according to law, in the City Hall, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of this day, and on motion of Mr. Fisher, proceeded to organize, by calling John C. Davis, Esq., to the Chair.

Mr. Mentz made a motion,

That a Committee of three be appointed to proceed to the State House, and obtain from the Judges of the General Election, the returns of the election for the office of Common Council.

Which was agreed to.

Whereupon, the Chairman appointed Messrs. Mentz, Thompson and Poulson, on the Committee.

After a short time, the Committee returned, and handed to the Chairman the Return of the Election for Common Council, which was read, and it is in the order and figures following, to wit :

JUDGES.

We, the Subscribers, Judges of a General Election, held at the State House and County Court House in the City of Philadelphia, on Tuesday, the 10th day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight, for Members of the Common Council of the City of Philadelphia, do certify that the following persons had the number of votes affixed to their respective names, to wit :

Thomas Snowden, eight thousand five hundred and ninety-one,	-	8591	votes.
John C. Davis, eight thousand six hundred and fourteen,	-	8614	"
William G. Mentz, eight thousand five hundred and ninety-eight,	-	8598	"
Robert Hutchinson, eight thousand six hundred and fifteen,	-	8615	"
Joseph M. Thomas, eight thousand six hundred and seventeen.	-	8617	"
Saunders Lewis, eight thousand six hundred and fourteen,	-	8614	"
James R. Gemmill, eight thousand six hundred and eleven,	-	8611	"
George R. Fisher, eight thousand five hundred and seventy-four,	-	8574	"
Benjamin Gerhard, eight thousand six hundred and six,	-	8606	"
Charles A. Poulson, eight thousand five hundred and fifty-seven,	-	8557	"
Frederick Lenning, eight thousand five hundred and ninety,	-	8590	"
Edmund Wilcox, eight thousand six hundred and four,	-	8604	"
William Watt, Sr., eight thousand five hundred and eighty-one,	-	8581	"
Benjamin Orne, eight thousand six hundred and two,	-	8602	"
Jesse Godley, eight thousand five hundred and ninety,	-	8590	"
Jacob Amos, eight thousand six hundred and five,	-	8605	"
Ambrose W. Thompson, eight thousand five hundred and seventy-four,	-	8574	"
Samuel J. Christian, eight thousand six hundred and five,	-	8605	"
Jacob B. Lancaster, eight thousand five hundred and ninety-four,	-	8594	"
Alexander J. Derbyshire, eight thousand five hundred and ninety-one,	-	8591	"
William Geisse, five thousand and fifty-seven,	-	5057	"
Clement C. Biddle, five thousand and sixty-seven,	-	5067	"
John F. Ohl, five thousand and fifty-six,	-	5056	"
Henry M. Keen, five thousand and fifty-one,	-	5051	"
A. Boyd Hamilton, five thousand and thirty-five,	-	5035	"
George Taber, five thousand and fifty-four,	-	5054	"
William H. Adams, five thousand and fifty-eight,	-	5058	"
Joseph Waterman, five thousand and sixty-eight,	-	5068	"
Joseph Caskey, five thousand and thirty-nine,	-	5039	"
Theodore D. Hadley, five thousand and fifty-six,	-	5056	"
Fredk. A. Server, five thousand and fifty-five,	-	5055	"
George K. Childs, five thousand and fifty-two,	-	5052	"
Abraham S. Wolf, five thousand and fifty-six,	-	5056	"
A. E. Dougherty, five thousand and thirty,	-	5030	"
Gideon G. Westcott, five thousand and forty-one,	-	5041	"
Charles H. Kerk, five thousand and sixty-three,	-	5063	"
William H. Dunn, five thousand and thirteen,	-	5013	"
Alfred P. Kesser, five thousand and forty,	-	5040	"
J. J. Walters, five thousand and fifty one,	-	5051	"
Charles Worrell, five thousand and thirty-eight,	-	5038	"
Scattering, sixty-two,	-	62	"

And we do further certify that Thomas Snowden, John C. Davis, William G. Mentz, Robert Hutchinson, Joseph M. Thomas, Saunders Lewis, James R. Gemmill, Geo. R. Fisher, Benjamin Gerhard, Charles A. Poulson, Frederick Lennig, Edmund Wilcox, William Watt, Sr., Benjamin Orne, Jesse Godley, Jacob Amos, Ambrose W. Thompson, Samuel J. Christian, Jacob B. Lancaster, and Alexander J. Desbyshire, having received the highest number of votes polled as aforesaid, are, and hereby are declared to be, duly elected Members of the Common Council of the City of Philadelphia.

In testimony, whereof, We, the said Judges, have hereunto set our hands and seals, the day and year first above written.

WM. HENRY BRINKLE,	[L. s.]
D. HENRY FLICKWIR,	[L. s.]
R. P. KING,	[L. s.]
CHARLES TAYLOR,	[L. s.]
FRANCIS CROURCH,	[L. s.]
JAMES MILLIGAN,	[L. s.]
WM. P. BLIGHT,	[L. s.]
JOEL ZANE,	[L. s.]
EDW. Y. FARQUHAR,	[L. s.]
SAMUEL W. GILBERT,	[L. s.]
PETER W. BAKER,	[L. s.]
ELIHU E. SMITH,	[L. s.]
JOS. S. LEWIS,	[L. s.]

On motion of Mr. Hutchinson, it was

Ordered, That the said Return be entered on the Journal, and filed among the archives of the City.

Mr. Lewis

Moved that a Committee of two be appointed to wait on the Mayor and request him to attend in the Council Chamber to administer the oath of office to the Members.

The Chair appointed Messrs. Lewis and Thomas on this Committee.

After a short time, the Mayor was introduced into the Chamber by the Committee, and thereupon administered the oath or affirmation of office to each and every of the Members elect, and he then withdrew, attended by the same Committee.

On motion of Mr. Orne,

Council proceeded to the election of a President.

The Chairman appointed Messrs. Orne and Gerhard tellers.

Who having collected and counted the votes, reported that twenty votes had been received—of which

Thomas Snowden, Esq., had	-	19
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John C. Davis, Esq., had	-	1
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Whereupon THOMAS SNOWDEN, Esq., was declared to have been duly elected President.

The President then took the Chair.

And on motion of Mr. Mentz,

Council proceeded to the election of a Clerk.

Messrs. Mentz and Fisher were appointed tellers.

Who, after collecting and counting the votes, reported to the President—who declared that THOMAS BIRCH, JR., having received twenty votes, was duly elected Clerk.

On motion of Mr. Hutchinson,

Council proceeded to the election of a Messenger.

Messrs. Hutchinson and Lennig were appointed tellers.

Who, after collecting and counting the votes, reported to the President—who declared that WILLIAM DAUGHERTY, having received twenty votes, was duly elected Messenger.

On motion of Mr. Hutchinson,

Council proceeded to the election of a Printer and Stationer.

Messrs. Orne and Thomas were appointed tellers.

Who, having collected and counted the votes, reported to the President—who declared that LYDIA R. BAILEY, having received twenty votes, was duly elected Printer and Stationer.

Mr. Poulson

Offered the following :

Resolved, That until otherwise ordered, the rules and regula-

tions in use by the late Councils be adopted for the government of the present Councils.

Which was twice read, and passed.

Mr. Amos

Offered the following :

Resolved, That a Committee of three be appointed to take charge of the unfinished business of the late Council, and report on the same at the next stated meeting.

Which was twice read, and passed.

Messrs. Amos, Lewis, and Thompson were appointed on this Committee.

Mr. Mentz

Offered the following :

Resolved, That Councils will meet on Tuesday next, the 17th inst., in the Chamber of Common Council, at 12 o'clock (noon), to open and publish the returns of the Election for Mayor of the City of Philadelphia.

Which was read twice, and passed.

Select Council concurred.

The President

Announced the following appointments :

Watering Committee—

Messrs. Lewis, Poulson, Hutchinson, Thomas.

Commissioners of the Girard Estate—

Messrs. Wilcox, Orne, Mentz, Fisher.

Committee on Finance—

Messrs. Davis, Mentz, Gerhard, Gemmill,

A Message from Select Council

Informed that they had passed the following, to wit :

Resolved, That a Joint Special Committee of one member from each Council be appointed to draft and report a system of Rules and Regulations, for governing the intercourse and business between the Select and Common Councils.

And had appointed Mr. Tyson, on the part of Select Council.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Resolution.

When the same was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

The President

Appointed Mr. Gerhard on the part of Common Council.

Another Message

Informed that Select Council had organized by electing

William M. Meredith, Esq.,	President.
Henry Helmuth,	Clerk.
William Daugherty,	Messenger.
Lydia R. Bailey,	Printer.

Which was read, and laid on the table.

Another Message

Informed that they had made the following appointments :

Watering Committee—

Messrs. Wetherill, Gilpin, Trucks, Tyson.

Committee on Finance—

Messrs. Elliott, Gilpin, Morris, Trucks.

Committee on Police—

Messrs. Wetherill, Morris, Trucks, Waterman,

Committee on Highways—

Messrs. Roberts, Boswell, Tyson, Hagert.

Committee on Cleansing—

Messrs. Elliott, Waterman, Hagert, Souder.

Committee on City Property—

Messrs. Morris, Tyson, Roberts, Souder.

Committee on Legacies and Trusts—

Messrs. Elliott, Boswell, Souder, Hagert.

Commissioners of the Girard Estates—

Messrs. Gilpin, Wetherill, Roberts, Boswell.

Library Committee—

Messrs. Tyson and Waterman.

Adjourned.

TUESDAY, October 17, 1848.

Council met.—Present,

Messrs. Amos,	Messrs. Lewis,
Christian,	Lennig,
Davis,	Mentz,
Derbyshire,	Orne,
Fisher,	Poulson,
Gemmill,	Thomas,
Godley,	Thompson,
Gerhard,	Watt,
Hutchinson,	Snowden, Pres't.
Lancaster,	

A Message from Select Council

Informed that they were ready to meet Common Council in their Chamber, to open and publish the return of the election for Mayor of the City of Philadelphia.

Which was read.

Mr. Mentz made a motion,

That Select Council be informed that this Council is ready to receive them in Convention.

Which was agreed to.

After a short time, the President, Clerk and Members of the Select Council entered—being seated,

The President of the Select Council announced the object of the Convention, and handed to the Clerk the returns of the election for Mayor.—(*See Journal of Select Council.*)

Which being read, it appeared that JOHN SWIFT, Esq., had received a majority of the votes polled by the Citizens of Philadelphia, for that office.

Whereupon JOHN SWIFT was declared to be duly elected Mayor of the City of Philadelphia, for the ensuing year.

Mr. Wetherill

Moved that a Committee of two be appointed to wait upon the Mayor elect, and inform him of his election, and request him to attend in the Chamber of Common Council, to take the oath of office.

Which was agreed to.

Messrs. Wetherill and Lancaster were appointed said Committee.

Mr. Elliott

Moved that a Committee of two be appointed to wait upon the Recorder, and request him to attend in the Chamber of Common Council, to administer the oath of office to the Mayor elect.

Which was agreed to.

Messrs. Elliott and Poulson were appointed said Committee.

After some time, the Committee appointed to wait on the Mayor elect, returned, and introduced JOHN SWIFT, the Mayor elect, who took and subscribed the oath of office, which was administered to him by Robert M. Lee, the Recorder of the City.

The Convention was then dissolved, and Select Council retired.

The President

Announced that he had appointed the following Joint Standing Committees, to wit :

Committee on Police—

Messrs. Poulson, Hutchinson, Lancaster, Lennig.

Committee on Highways—

Messrs. Lewis, Godley, Amos, Thompson.

Committee on Cleansing the City—

Messrs. Watt, Christian, Lancaster, Thomas.

Committee on City Property—

Messrs. Amos, Godley, Davis, Gerhard.

Committee on Legacies and Trusts—

Messrs. Fisher, Christian, Derbyshire, Watt.

Library Committee—

Messrs. Orne, Thompson.

Adjourned.

THURSDAY, October 26, 1848.

Council met.—Present,

Messrs. Amos,
Christian,
Derbyshire,
Fisher,
Gemmill,
Gerhard,
Godley,
Hutchinson,
Lancaster,
Lennig,

Messrs. Lewis,
Mentz,
Orne,
Poulson,
Thomas,
Thompson,
Watt,
Wilcox,
Snowden, Pres't.

Mr. Poulson

Presented a Petition from the Lamplighters, asking an increase of pay.

Also,

One from Citizens, asking that the pay of the Lamplighters may be increased.

Which were read, and referred to the Committee on Police.

Mr. Lewis

A Petition asking that Schuylkill Second Street, from Filbert to Arch Street, may be curbed and paved.

Mr. Amos

One from Property Owners and Residents of Quarry⁸ Street, asking that said street, from Second to Bread Street, may be repaved.

Mr. Godley

A Petition of Residents of Arch Street, asking that a Culvert may be made in said street from Front to Bread Street.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

The President

Laid before Council a Communication from James Page, inviting Councils to attend the funeral of the late Lieutenant Montgomery P. Young.

Which was read, and on motion of

Mr. Lewis, the invitation was accepted.

The President

Laid before Council a Communication from the President of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, with report of the Chief Engineer.

Which was read and laid on the table.

Mr. Amos

From the Committee on Unfinished Business of the late Council, made a Report, (*Appendix No. 1.*)

Which was read, and laid on the table.

Mr. Lewis

From the Committee on Public Highways, made a Report, (*Appendix No. 2.*) with the following Resolution annexed, to wit:

Resolved, That the City Commissioners, under the direction of the Committee on Public Highways, be directed to regulate, curb and pave Ralston Street, in the City of Philadelphia.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading, and consideration of the Resolution annexed to the Report.

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Thompson

Offered the following,

Resolved, That a Joint Special Committee of three from each

Council be appointed to obtain information, and report upon some general plan to be adopted for preventing, if possible, the introduction of the Asiatic Cholera into Philadelphia, and for its counteraction and remedy should it reach our city. That for the purpose of making a practical report, the Committee have authority to seek such medical assistance as may be deemed advisable.

Which was read twice and passed.

A Message from Select Council

Informed that they had had under consideration the following resolution, to wit :

Resolved, That the Committee on Police be, and they are hereby authorized to furnish, at such times as they may think fit, to the Night Policemen, or any portion of them, suitable Overcoats.

And had referred the same to the Committee on Police.

Which was read.

Mr. Poulson,

Moved that Common Council concur in the reference.

Which was agreed to.

Adjourned.

THURSDAY, November 9, 1848.

Council met.—Present,

Messrs. Amos,
Christian,
Davis,
Derbyshire,
Fisher,
Gemmill,
Godley,
Lancaster,
Lennig,

Messrs. Lewis,
Mentz,
Orne,
Poulson,
Thomas,
Thompson,
Watt,
Snowden, Pres't.

Mr. Thomas

Presented a Petition of owners of property and residents in Schuylkill Second Street, between High and Chestnut Street, asking that said square may be paved.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

The President

Laid before Council a Communication from Charles Ellis, Secretary to the Board of Managers of the Wills Hospital, informing of the resignation of John Marston, a member of said Board.

Which was read and laid on the table.

Mr. Davis

From the Committee on Finance, made a Report, (*Appendix No. 3*.) with the following annexed, to wit :

Resolved, That the Mayor be authorized, on behalf of and for the Mayor, Aldermen, and Citizens of Philadelphia, to release from the lien of a judgment entered in the District Court for the City and County of Philadelphia on the 20th day of June, 1848, to June Term, 1848, No. 91, in which the Mayor, Aldermen, and Citizens of Philadelphia are plaintiffs, and William A.

Wilson, Silas C. Wilson, and Samuel W. Weer are defendants, a certain lot or piece of ground with the buildings thereon erected, situate on the west side of Jacoby Street, at the distance of two hundred and seventy-two feet northward from the north side of Sassafras Street, in the City of Philadelphia, containing in front or breadth on said Jacoby Street fifteen feet, and extending in length or depth westward eighty feet to a certain ten feet wide alley leading southward into Wager Street, bounded north by ground of William Bethel, south by ground of Thomas Brinton, east by said Jacoby Street, and west by the aforesaid ten feet wide alley; belonging to Samuel W. Weer, one of the above named defendants: *Provided*, the other defendants in the said judgment, and the other surety for the faithful performance by said William A. Wilson of the duties of the office of collector of taxes of South ward, consent thereto.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Resolution annexed to the report.

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Lewis

From the Committee on Public Highways, made a Report, (*Appendix No. 4.*) with the following annexed, to wit:

Resolved, that the City Commissioners, under the direction of the Committee on Public Highways, be directed to alter the grade of, and repair the pebble pavement and tramway in Black Horse Alley, from Second Street eastwardly as far as the summit between said Second and Front Street.

Which was read.

On motion

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Resolution annexed to the report.

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

A Message from Select Council

Informed that they had passed a Bill entitled, “An Ordinance relating to the Girard College for Orphans.”

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Bill.

The first section was agreed to.

The second section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to,

And the bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then, by special order, read a third time and passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, November 22, 1848.

Council met.—Present,

Messrs. Amos,
Christian,
Davis,
Derbyshire,
Fisher,
Gemmell,
Gerhard,
Godley,
Hutchinson,
Lancaster,

Messrs. Lennig,
Lewis,
Mentz,
Orne,
Poulson,
Thomas,
Watt,
Wilcox,
Snowden, Pres't.

Mr. Lewis

Presented a Petition asking that Carver and Burton Streets may be paved.

Also,

A Petition asking that Plymouth Street, and Locust Street, from Schuylkill Third to Fifth Street, may be graded and paved.

Which were read, and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

Mr. Lewis

Offered the following.

Whereas, The regulation of the ascents and descents in Delaware Avenue, is not fixed and determined, nor duly recorded in the Surveyor's office: Therefore,

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Highways, in conjunction with the City Surveyors, do fix and determine upon a plan for the regulations and heights, ascents and descents, water courses and sewers of and in Delaware Avenue, from Vine Street to Cedar Street, in the City of Philadelphia—said plan to be subject, nevertheless, to the revision and approbation of Councils,

and to the other provisions of the first section of an Ordinance of June 25, 1840, in such case made and provided.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Resolution.

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Mentz

Moved that Council proceed to the election of three managers of the Wills Hospital to serve for three years, and one for one year, in the place of John Marston, resigned.

The President appointed Messrs. Mentz and Godley tellers, who, having collected and counted the votes, reported that 16 votes had been received, all of which were for

Charles Ellis, Benneville Brown, and Robert Toland for three years, and Joshua Tevis for one year.

Whereupon, Charles Ellis, Benneville Brown, and Robert Toland were declared elected managers of the Wills Hospital for three years, and Joshua Tevis for one year, in the place of John Marston, resigned.

A Message from Select Council

Informed that they had received a Report from the Committee appointed to report a system of Rules and Regulations for governing the intercourse between the Select and Common Councils, with two Resolutions annexed, to wit:

Resolved, That the Rules for governing the intercourse between the Select and Common Councils, be continued in use as they now stand, with the exception of the *Eighth* Rule, which shall read as follows:

Eighth Rule. The reports of all joint Committees shall be in writing, be signed by a majority of the members, and be made to the Council in which the business was commenced or referred,

and shall be therein acted upon ; after which information shall be given to the other council, accompanied by the report of the Committee.

Resolved, That a new edition of the Rules for governing the intercourse of Councils, be published under the superintendence of the two Clerks.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the first Resolution annexed to the Report.

And being under consideration,

Mr. Lewis

Moved that the further consideration thereof be postponed for the present, and that they be laid on the table.

Which was agreed to.

Another Message

Informed that Select Council had received a Report from the Watering Committee, with a Resolution annexed, to wit :

Resolved, That the Watering Committee be, and they are hereby authorized to contract with any of the Districts north of the City for a temporary supply of water from the City Works, the period not to be extended beyond April 1, 1849, without further authority from Councils.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Resolution annexed to the Report.

When the same was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Mr. Poulson

Offered the following.

Resolved, That the Committee on City Property be, and they

are hereby authorized to cause the transparent clock faces on Independence Hall to be remodelled, so as to be entirely effective when illuminated.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the same.

And being under consideration,

Mr. Gerhard

Moved that it be referred to the Committee on City Property.

Which was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

A Message from Select Council

Informed that they had passed the following, to wit ;

Resolved, That the Select and Common Councils will meet in convention this evening, for the purpose of electing three Directors of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, on behalf of the City, as authorized by the General Assembly of this Commonwealth ; and that said election shall be viva voce.

Which was read twice and passed.

So Common Council concurred.

On motion,

It was ordered that Select Council be informed that Common Council is ready to receive them in their chamber, for the purpose of electing in Convention three Directors of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company.

After a short time the President, Clerk, and Members of Select Council entered.

Councils being assembled in Convention,

The President announced the object thereof,

When the following nominations were made, to wit:

Mr. Wetherill nominated George W. Carpenter.

Mr. Trucks nominated Morris L. Hallowell and Richard D. Wood.

Mr. Tyson nominated John Wiegand, Elliott Cresson, and W. C. Patterson.

Mr. Souder nominated Henry C. Corbit.

Mr. Elliott nominated Joseph S. Levering.

Mr. Davis nominated David S. Brown.

Mr. Gerhard nominated Hugh Campbell.

Mr. Lewis nominated Henry M. Watts.

Mr. Thomas nominated George Howell.

The nominations were then closed.

Mr. Poulson

Moved that the Convention do now adjourn.

Which was not agreed to.

And it was

Ordered, That the Convention do proceed to the election of three Directors of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company.

When of the Select Council,

Messrs. Boswell, Elliott, Gilpin, Hagert, Roberts, Tyson, Waterman, Wetherill, Meredith, Pres't., (9) voted for John Wiegand.

Messrs. Elliott, Gilpin, Hagert, Morris, Souder, Trucks, Waterman, (7) voted for Morris L. Hallowell.

Messrs. Boswell, Roberts, Trucks, Tyson, Wetherill, (5) voted for George W. Carpenter.

Messrs. Roberts, Trucks, Wetherill, Meredith, Pres't., (4) voted for John Brock.

Messrs. Gilpin, Waterman, Meredith, Pres't., (3) voted for George Howell.

Messrs. Boswell, Morris, (2) voted for Richard D. Wood.

Messrs. Elliott, Morris, (2) voted for Joseph S. Levering.

Messrs. Hagert, Souder, (2) voted for David S. Brown.

Mr. Souder, (1) voted for Henry C. Corbit.

Mr. Tyson, (1) voted for William C. Patterson.

Of the Common Council,

Messrs. Amos, Christian, Davis, Derbyshire, Gemmill, Gerhard, Hutchinson, Lancaster, Lennig, Mentz, Poulson, Thomas, Watt, Wilcox, Snowden, Pres't., (15) voted for John Wiegand.

Messrs. Christian, Davis, Gemmill, Hutchinson, Lancaster, Lewis, Mentz, Poulson, Thomas, Wilcox, Snowden, Pres't., (11) voted for Morris L. Hallowell.

Messrs. Amos, Christian, Davis, Derbyshire, Fisher, Godley, Hutchinson, Lancaster, Lewis, Thomas, Snowden, Pres't., (11) voted for George Howell.

Messrs. Derbyshire, Fisher, Gemmill, Lennig, Mentz, Watt, Wilcox, (7) voted for David S. Brown.

Messrs. Fisher, Gerhard, Watt, (3) voted for Richard D. Wood.

Messrs. Amos, Godley, (2) voted for Henry C. Corbit.

Messrs. Gerhard, Poulson, (2) voted for Hugh Campbell.

Messrs. Godley, Orne, (2) voted for Robert Toland.

Mr. Lewis (1) voted for Henry M. Watts.

Mr. Lennig, (1) voted for Joseph S. Levering.

Mr. Orne, (1) voted for George W. Carpenter.

Mr. Orne, (1) voted for William C. Patterson.

So that

John Wiegand	had 24
Morris L. Hallowell	“ 18
George Howell	“ 14
David S. Brown	“ 9
George W. Carpenter	“ 6
Richard D. Wood	“ 5
John Brock	“ 4

Joseph S. Levering	had	3
Henry S. Corbit,	“	3
Hugh Campbell,	“	2
Robert Toland,	“	2
William C. Patterson	“	2
Henry M. Watts,	“	1

Whereupon, John Wiegand and Morris L. Hallowell were declared to be duly elected Directors of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company for the ensuing year.

And it was

Ordered, That the Convention do proceed to the election of a Director of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company.

When of the Select Council,

Messrs. Boswell, Elliott, Gilpin, Hagert, Morris, Roberts, Souder, Trucks, Tyson, Waterman, Wetherill, Meredith, Pres't., (12) voted for George Howell.

Of the Common Council,

Messrs. Amos, Christian, Davis, Derbyshire, Fisher, Gemmill, Gerhard, Godley, Hutchinson, Lancaster, Lennig, Lewis, Mentz, Orne, Poulson, Thomas, Watt, Wilcox, Snowden, Pres't., (19) voted for George Howell.

Whereupon, George Howell having received 31 votes, was declared to be duly elected a Director of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, to serve for the ensuing year.

The Convention was then dissolved, and the Select Council retired.

The President

Announced the following appointments, under the provisions of the Ordinance of November 9, 1848, entitled “An Ordinance relating to the Girard College for Orphans,” to wit:

For the months of December and January.—Messrs. Watt, Lennig, Orne, Lancaster.

February and March.—Messrs. Lewis, Thomas, Fisher, Christian.

April and May—Messrs. Gemmill, Godley, Derbyshire, Davis.

June and July—Messrs. Amos, Poulson, Gerhard, Wilcox.

August and September—Messrs. Mentz, Hutchinson, Thompson, Snowden.

A message from Select Council informed,

That the following appointments had been made under the provisions of the Ordinance relating to the Girard College for Orphans, to wit:

First.—Messrs. Waterman, Gilpin, Morris, Tyson.

Second.—Messrs. Hagert, Boswell, Elliott, Souder.

Third.—Messrs. Trucks, Roberts, Wetherill, Meredith, Pres't.

Fourth.—Messrs. Waterman, Tyson, Boswell, Souder.

Which was read and laid on the table.

Another message,

Informed that Select Council had elected John McAllister, Jr., Dillwyn Parrish and John Thomason, Managers of the Wills Hospital for three years.

Which was read and laid on the table.

Adjourned.

THURSDAY, December 7, 1848.

Council met.—Present,

Messrs. Amos,
Christian,
Davis,
Derbyshire,
Fisher,
Gemmell,
Godley,
Hutchinson,

Messrs. Lancaster,
Lewis,
Mentz,
Orne,
Poulson,
Thomas,
Watt,
Snowden, Pres't.

Mr. Hutchinson

Presented a Petition asking that Sycamore and Holly Streets may be paved.

Mr. Lewis

One asking that Schuylkill Sixth Street, from Pine to Spruce Street, may be paved.

Which were read, and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

Mr. Poulson

A Communication from Dr. Isaac Parrish, enclosing a circular from the "American Medical Association," relative to "Public Hygiene."

Which was read.

Mr. Poulson

Offered the following.

Resolved, That the Communication from Dr. Isaac Parrish, relative to Public Hygiene, be referred to a Joint Special Committee of two members from each Council.

Which was read twice and passed.

The President appointed Messrs. Poulson and Thomas.

Select Council concurred,

And appointed Messrs. Roberts and Hagert.]

The President

Laid before Council a Communication from Robert H. Smith, City Clerk, with a list of permits for New Buildings issued during the past year. (*See Appendix Select Council.*)

Also,

A Report of the Sanitary Committee of the Board of Health, on the subject of the Asiatic Cholera.

Also,

A Resolution passed by the Joint Watering Committees of the Districts of Northern Liberties and Spring Garden, (*Appendix No. 5.*)

Which were severally read and laid on the table.

Also,

A Petition asking for a Flag Crossing to Ninth Street, at Clinton Street.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

Also,

A Communication from J. M. Read, C. Guillon, and T. Cuyler, counsel for the heirs of Stephen Girard, relative to lands in Schuylkill County.

Which was read.

And, on motion of Mr. Davis, referred to the Commissioners of the Girard Estates.

Also,

A Communication from John Wiegand, resigning his situation as a Director of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company.

Also,

One from E. C. Biddle, Secretary of the Board of Directors

of the Public Schools, informing of the resignation of Thomas C. Rockhill, Jr., a member of said Board.

Which were read and laid on the table.

Mr. Poulson

From the Committee on Police, made a Report, (*Appendix No. 6,*) in answer to the Petition of the Lamplighters, asking an increase of pay, with the following annexed, to wit :

Resolved, That the Committee on Police be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Resolution annexed to the report.

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Davis

From the Committee on Finance, made a Report, (*Appendix No. 7,*) with the following annexed, to wit :

Resolved, That the Mayor be authorized, on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen, and Citizens of Philadelphia, to release from the lien of a judgment entered in the District Court for the City and County of Philadelphia, on the 3d day of July, 1848, to June Term, 1848, No. 171, in which the Mayor, Aldermen, and Citizens of Philadelphia are plaintiffs, and James B. Beers, George Sharswood, and Thomas Hartley are defendants, the following described property belonging to Thomas Hartley, one of said defendants ; all that certain four story brick messuage or tenement and lot or piece of ground situate at the south west corner of Franklin and Vine Street, in the City of Philadelphia, containing in front or breadth on the said Franklin Street, twenty feet, and in length or depth westward, keeping the said width, one hundred and twenty-two feet eight inches ; bounded southward by a messuage and ground now or late of Robert Smith ;

northward by the said Vine Street; westward by a three feet four inch wide alley, and eastward by Franklin Street : *Provided*, the other defendants in said judgment consent thereto.

Which was read.

On motion

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Resolution annexed to the report.

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Poulson

From the Committee on Police, made a Report, (*Appendix No. 8*), with a Bill annexed, entitled :

“A Further Supplement to an Ordinance, entitled, ‘An Ordinance to establish a Night and Day Police, and to provide for the lighting of the Public Lamps in the City of Philadelphia,’ passed March 16th, 1848.”

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Bill annexed to the Report.

The first section being under consideration,

On agreeing to the same the yeas and nays were required by Messrs. Poulson and Fisher, and were as follows :

Yeas,—Messrs. Christian, Godley, Hutchinson, Lancaster, Orne, Poulson, Watt.—7.

Nays,—Messrs. Amos, Davis, Derbyshire, Fisher, Gemmill, Lewis, Mentz, Thomas, Snowden, Pres’t.—9.

When the same was not agreed to.

Adjourned.

THURSDAY, December 21, 1848.

Council met.—Present,

Messrs. Amos,
Christian,
Davis,
Derbyshire,
Fisher,
Gemmell,
Gerhard,
Godley,
Hutchinson,

Messrs. Lancaster,
Lennig,
Lewis,
Orne,
Poulson,
Thomas,
Watt,
Wilcox,
Snowden, Pres't.

Mr. Hutchinson

Presented a Petition from the High Constables, asking that their pay may be increased.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Police.

Mr. Amos

Presented a Communication from John Ware, asking that a fine imposed on him for violating a law regulating the passage of cattle over the Permanent Bridge, may be refunded.

Which was read, and

On motion,

The Communication was referred to the Committee on City Property, with power to act.

Mr. Watt

Presented a Communication from A. S. McMurray, M.D., asking to be elected a Vaccine Physician.

Mr. Godley

One of similar tenor from S. S. Brooks, M.D.

The President

Laid before Council Communications of similar tenor from Drs. S. Wolff, B. H. Rand, and W. D. Murphy.

Which were respectively read, and laid on the table.

Also,

A Communication from Thomas Fletcher, proposing to sell to the City the Picture of General Z. Taylor, painted by his son, Veron Fletcher.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on City Property.

Also,

A Communication from Lane Schofield, A. G. Hines, and Robert H. Smith, asking to be re-elected to the offices which they respectively hold.

Which was read, and laid on the table.

Also,

A Communication from Joseph R. Chandler, President of the Board of Directors of the Girard College for Orphans, inviting Councils, by order of the Board, to be present at the College Building, on the 1st of January, 1849, where a discourse will be delivered by J. R. Tyson, Esq., in commemoration of the First Anniversary of the opening of the Institution.

Which was read, and

On motion it was

Ordered, That the invitation be accepted.

Mr. Poulson

From the Committee on Police, made a Report, (*Appendix No. 9*.) with a Bill annexed, entitled, “A Further Supplement to an Ordinance, entitled, ‘An Ordinance to establish a Night and Day Police, and to provide for the Lighting of the Public Lamps in the City of Philadelphia,’ passed 16th of March, 1848.”

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Bill annexed to the Report.

The first section being under consideration,

Mr. Lewis

Moved that the further consideration thereof be postponed for the present.

Which was not agreed to.

The section being again under consideration,

Mr. Gerhard

Moved to amend the same by striking out the word "sunset," where it appears in the same, and inserting in lieu thereof the words "six o'clock, P. M.;" and striking out the word "sunrise," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "six o'clock, A. M."

On agreeing to which, the yeas and nays were required, and were as follows:

Yeas,—Messrs. Amos, Davis, Gemmill, Gerhard,—4.

Nays,—Messrs. Christian, Derbyshire, Fisher, Godley, Hutchinson, Lancaster, Lennig, Lewis, Orne, Poulson, Thomas, Watt, Wilcox, Snowden, Pres't,—14.

So the amendment was not agreed to.

The section being again under consideration,

Mr. Wilcox

Moved that the further consideration of the section, together with the Bill, be postponed, and that it be printed for the use of members.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Fisher

From the Committee on Legacies and Trusts, made a Report, (*Appendix No. 10*), with a Bill annexed, entitled, "A Supplement to an Ordinance, entitled, 'An Ordinance to provide for the management of John Scott's Legacy,' passed the 9th day of September, 1841."

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Bill annexed to the Report.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to,

And the Bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then, by special order, read a third time and passed.

Select Council concurred.

A Message from Select Council

Informed that they had passed a Bill, entitled, “A Supplement to an Ordinance, entitled, ‘An Ordinance to provide for the organization and management of the Girard College for Orphans,’ passed the 27th day of May, 1847.”

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the same.

The first, second, and third sections were agreed to.

The fourth section being under consideration,

Mr. Thomas

Moved to amend the same by striking out the words “seven hundred,” where they occur in the same, and inserting in lieu thereof the words “six hundred.”

Which was agreed to.

The fourth section as amended was agreed to.

The fifth section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to,

And the Bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then, by special order, read a third time and passed.

So Common Council concurred, with an amendment.

Another Message

Informed that Select Council had received a Report from the Commissioners of the Girard Estates, and passed a Bill annexed, entitled, "An Ordinance making an appropriation to the Board of Commissioners of the Girard Estates for the Girard College for Orphans, and for other purposes."

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Bill annexed to the Report.

The first section being under consideration,

Mr. Davis

Moved to amend the same by striking out the words "forty-five thousand nine hundred," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "forty-seven thousand six hundred."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The second section was agreed to.

The third section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to,

And the Bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then, by special order, read a third time and passed.

So Common Council concurred, with an amendment.

On motion,

It was ordered that Select Council be informed that this Council is ready to receive them in their chamber, for the purpose of electing a Director of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, in the place of John Wiegand, resigned, and also a Director of the Public Schools of the First Section First School District, in the place of Thomas C. Rockhill, Jr., resigned.

After a short time the President, Clerk, and Members of Select Council entered.

Councils being assembled in Convention, the President announced the object thereof.

And it was

Ordered, That the Convention do proceed to the election of a member of the Board of Directors of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, and

On motion of Mr. Souder,

The Convention proceeded to nominate candidates.

Mr. Waterman nominated John Yarrow.

Mr. Lewis nominated Elliot Cresson.

When of the Select Council,

Messrs. Boswell, Elliott, Gilpin, Hagert, Morris, Roberts, Souder, Trucks, Tyson, Waterman, Wetherill, Meredith, Pres't—(12,) voted for John Yarrow.

Of the Common Council,

Messrs. Amos, Christian, Davis, Derbyshire, Fisher, Gemmill, Godley, Gerhard, Hutchinson, Lancaster, Lewis, Lennig, Orne, Poulson, Thomas, Watt, Wilcox, Snowden, Pres't—(18,) voted for John Yarrow.

Whereupon,

John Yarrow was declared to be elected a Director of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, on behalf of the City, in the place and for the unexpired time of John Wiegand, resigned.

And it was

Ordered, That the Convention do proceed to the election of a Director of the Public Schools.

Mr. Souder of the Select, and Mr. Davis of the Common Council, were appointed tellers, who reported that thirty votes had been received,

Of which

Bartram Kaighn	had	22 votes,
Robert Piersol,	"	5 "
John Clayton,	"	3 "

Whereupon,

Bartram Kaighn was declared to be elected a Director of the Public Schools, for the First Section of First School District of Pennsylvania, in the place and for the unexpired time of T. C. Rockhill, resigned.

The Convention was then dissolved,

And Select Council retired.

Mr. Gerhard

Offered the following Resolutions, to wit:

Resolved, That the members of the Common Council of the City of Philadelphia have learned with deep regret the death of Robert Toland, Esq., late a member of the Select Council, whose urbanity, integrity and intelligence had rendered him so endeared an associate, and so valuable a public officer.

Resolved, That the members of this Council will attend the funeral of the late Robert Toland, Esq., and wear the usual badge of mourning.

Resolved, That the President be requested to communicate the foregoing Resolutions to the family of Mr. Toland.

Which were read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration thereof.

The first, second and third Resolutions were unanimously agreed to, and ordered to be entered on the Journal.

A message from Select Council

Informed that they had received a report from the Commissioners of the Girard Estates, and had passed the following Resolution thereto annexed, to wit,

Resolved, That the Treasurer of the Girard Fund be, and he is hereby authorized to transfer the sum of eight hundred dollars from item "Incidental Expenses," to item "Repairs to real estate, materials and permanent improvements" in the appropriation made to the Board of Commissioners of the Girard Estates for 1848.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution annexed to the report.

When the same was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had passed the following,

Resolved, That the Directors of the Girard College be directed to report to Councils an estimate of the cost of introducing gas into the Girard College; the gas to be supplied by a service pipe connected with the main in Vine street.

Which was twice read, and passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had passed the following, to wit :

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be, and he is hereby authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriation made to the Watering Committee for the year 1848, viz: two hundred dollars from item "Iron Pipes," to item "Incidentals," and one hundred and fifty dollars from item "Iron Pipes," to item "Fairmount Works."

Which was twice read, and passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had passed the following Preamble and Resolutions, to wit :

Whereas, It is understood that Gen. Zachary Taylor, President elect of the United States, may be in the vicinity of the City of Philadelphia on his way to Washington; *and whereas* it is in accordance with the feelings of the members of these bodies and their constituents, as well as of the people of Pennsylvania, that due honours and hospitality should be extended to him in any

part of this Commonwealth through which he may pass: therefore,

Resolved, That Gen. Zachary Taylor be invited to visit this City, and assured that he will be received with the welcome and cordality so justly his due.

Resolved, That the Presidents of Councils communicate to Gen. Taylor a copy of this Preamble and Resolutions.

Resolved, That a Committee of two members of each Council be appointed to make arrangements for his reception.

And had appointed Messrs. Gilpin and Wetherill the Committee on the part of Select Council.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration thereof.

The first, second and third Resolutions were unanimously agreed to.

The Preamble was unanimously agreed to, and

So Common Council concurred.

The President

Appointed Messrs. Lennig and Thomas the Committee on the part of Common Council.

Adjourned.

THURSDAY, January 4, 1849.

Council met.—Present,

Messrs. Amos,	Messrs. Lancaster,
Christian,	Lewis,
Davis,	Mentz,
Derbyshire,	Orne,
Fisher,	Poulson,
Gemmill,	Thomas,
Gerhard,	Thompson,
Godley,	Watt,
Hutchinson,	Wilcox,
	Snowden, Pres't.

Mr. Thomas

Presented a Petition of owners and occupants of property in "Little George" street, asking that the name may be changed to "Sansom" street.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

Mr. Gerhard

Presented a Communication from Dr. E. Wallace, asking to be elected one of the Vaccine Physicians.

Mr. Poulson

One of similar tenor from Dr. R. P. Thomas.

Mr. Gemmill

One of similar tenor from Dr. H. Ladd.

Mr. Lewis

From Doctors R. Maris and R. R. Sudenor.

Also

One from Samuel Haines, asking to be re-elected Principal City Surveyor and Regulator.

The President

Laid before Councils communications from Doctors T. S..

Harper, L. Turnbull and E. R. Mayer, asking to be elected Vaccine Physicians.

Also,

One from E. Olmsted, asking to be re-elected City Solicitor.

One from C. Stevenson, asking to be re-elected City Treasurer.

One from Charles S. Smith, asking to be re-elected Treasurer of the Girard Fund.

One from Isaac Myer, asking to be re-elected Agent of the Girard Estates.

One from M. T. W. Chandler, asking to be re-elected Assistant City Surveyor and Regulator.

Also,

A communication from John Yarrow accepting of his appointment as a Director of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company.

Which were respectively read, and laid on the table.

Mr. Poulson

From the Committee on Police made a Report (*Appendix*, No. 11) of the amount of money required for the service of this department, for the year 1849.

Mr. Fisher

From the Committee on Legacies and Trusts made a Report (*Appendix*, No. 12) of the amount of money required, for the year 1849.

Mr. Lewis

From the Committee on Public Highways made a Report (*Appendix*, No. 13) of the amount of money required for this department, for the year 1849.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Lewis

From the same Committee made a further Report, (*Appendix*, No. 14,) with the following Resolutions annexed, to wit :

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Highways be, and they are, hereby authorized to cause a topographical survey to be made of the region of Dock street, from Walnut street to the wharf, with a view to determine on the best and least injurious mode of making increased drainage into the Delaware.

Resolved, That the City Solicitor be, and he is hereby authorized to take legal measures to cause Cherry street, from Schuylkill Fourth to Schuylkill Fifth street, to be opened.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the first Resolution annexed to the Report,

And being under consideration,

On agreeing to the same, the Yeas and Nays were required, and were as follows, to wit :

Yeas,—Messrs. Derbyshire, Gerhard, Poulson, Thomas, Thompson, Watt.—6.

Nays,—Messrs. Amos, Christian, Davis, Fisher, Gemmill, Godley, Hutchinson, Lancaster, Lewis, Mentz, Orne, Wilcox, Snowden, Pres't.—13.

So the Resolution was not agreed to.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the second Resolution,

And being under consideration,

Mr. Lewis

Moved to amend the same by adding the following at the end thereof, to wit :

Provided, That the owners of property, bounding on said Cherry street, shall first relinquish all claim for damages by reason of opening said street to public use.

Which was agreed to.

The Resolution as amended was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Lewis

Offered the following :

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Highways be, and they are hereby authorized to transfer from item "Repaving" the sum of three thousand eight hundred dollars, to item "Repairing streets, &c.," and the sum of two thousand three hundred and ninety dollars and sixty-nine cents, to item "New Culverts," in the appropriation made to the Committee for the year 1848.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Resolution.

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Poulson

From the Committee on Police made a Report (*Appendix*, No. 15,) with a bill annexed, entitled "An ordinance making an appropriation for lighting Delaware Avenue with gas."

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the bill annexed to this Report.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to,

And the Bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then, by special order, read a third time and passed.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Poulson

From the same Committee made a further Report, (*Appen-*

dix, No. 16,) with a bill annexed, entitled "An ordinance making a temporary appropriation to the Committee on Police."

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the bill annexed to the Report.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to,

And the bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then, by special order, read a third time and passed.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Lewis, (on leave given.)

Presented a communication from Andrew Benner, asking that \$425 may be paid to him, for the loss occasioned to him by four of his horses falling into the culvert constructing at the corner of Eleventh and High streets, on the 7th of last August.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

Mr. Poulson

Moved, that Council proceed to the second reading and consideration of the bill, entitled "A further supplement to an ordinance, entitled 'An ordinance to establish a Night and Day Police, and to provide for the Lighting of the Public Lamps, in the city of Philadelphia,'" passed 16th March, 1848.

Which was agreed to.

The first section being under consideration,

Mr. Lewis

Moved to amend the same by striking out all from the word "at" where it first occurs in the third line to the word "year" in the fourth line, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Six o'clock P. M. and cease at eight o'clock A. M., from the

1st of October to the 1st April, and from eight o'clock P. M. to six o'clock A. M., from the 1st of April to the 1st of October, and of the day policemen shall commence at eight o'clock A. M., and cease at six o'clock P. M., from the 1st of October to the 1st of April, and commence at six o'clock A. M., and cease at eight o'clock P. M., from the 1st of April to the 1st of October."

Which was read.

And being under consideration,

Mr. Gerhard,

Moved to amend the amendment by striking out the word "six" where it appears in the same, and inserting the word "seven" in lieu thereof.

Which was not agreed to.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment.

The Yeas and Nays were required by Messrs. Poulson and Lewis, and were as follows:

Yeas—Messrs. Amos, Davis, Fisher, Gemmill, Gerhard, Lancaster, Lewis, Mentz, Orne, Thomas, Thompson, Wilcox, Snowden, Pres't—13.

Nays—Messrs. Christian, Derbyshire, Godley, Hutchinson, Poulson, Watt—6.

So the Amendment was agreed to.

The First Section as amended was agreed to.

The Second, Third and Fourth Section was agreed to.

The Title was agreed to.

And the Bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then by special order read a third time and passed.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Davis

Offered the following:

Resolved, That Augustus C. Salaignac and George M. Trout-

man be approved as the sureties of Cornelius Stevenson, City Treasurer.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution.

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

On motion

It was ordered that Select Council be informed that this Council is ready to receive them in their chamber for the purpose of electing in Convention,

A City Solicitor, two City Commissioners, a City Clerk, a City Surveyor, and an Assistant City Surveyor, eight Vaccine Physicians, a City Treasurer, a Treasurer of the Girard Fund, and an Agent of the Girard Estates.

After a short time, the President, Clerk and Members of Select Council entered.

Councils being assembled in convention, the President announced the object thereof, and it was

Ordered, That the Convention do proceed to the election of a City Solicitor.

When, of the Select Council,

Messrs. Boswell, Elliott, Gilpin, Hagert, Morris, Roberts, Souder, Trucks, Tyson, Waterman, Wetherill, Pres't, (11,) voted for Edward Olmsted.

Of the Common Council,

Messrs. Amos, Christian, Davis, Derbyshire, Fisher, Gemmill, Gerhard, Godley, Hutchinson, Lancaster, Lewis, Mentz, Orne, Poulson, Thomas, Thompson, Watt, Wilcox, Snowden, Pres't, (19,) voted for Edward Olmsted.

Whereupon, EDWARD OLMSTED having received thirty votes, was declared to be elected City Solicitor for the following year.

And it was

Ordered, That the Convention do proceed to the election of two City Commissioners.

When, of the Select Council,

Messrs. Boswell, Elliott, Gilpin, Hagert, Morris, Roberts, Souder, Trucks, Tyson, Waterman, Wetherill, Pres't, (11,) voted for Lane Schofield and A. G. Hines.

Of the Common Council,

Messrs. Amos, Christian, Davis, Derbyshire, Fisher, Gemmill, Gerhard, Godley, Hutchinson, Lancaster, Lewis, Mentz, Orne, Poulson, Thomas, Thompson, Watt, Wilcox, Snowden, Pres't, (19,) voted for Lane Schofield and A. G. Hines.

Whereupon, LANE SCHOFIELD and A. G. HINES having each received thirty votes, were declared to be elected City Commissioners for the ensuing year.

And it was

Ordered, That the Convention do proceed to the election of a City Clerk.

When of the Select Council,

Messrs. Boswell, Elliott, Gilpin, Hagert, Morris, Roberts, Souder, Trucks, Tyson, Waterman, Wetherill, Pres't, (11,) voted for Robert H. Smith.

Of the Common Council,

Messrs. Amos, Christian, Davis, Derbyshire, Fisher, Gemmill, Gerhard, Godley, Hutchinson, Lancaster, Lewis, Mentz, Orne, Poulson, Thomas, Thompson, Watt, Wilcox, Snowden, Pres't, (19,) voted for Robert H. Smith.

Whereupon, ROBERT H. SMITH having received thirty votes, was declared to be duly elected City Clerk, for the ensuing year.

And it was

Ordered, That the Convention do proceed to the election of a Principal and an Assistant City Surveyor and Regulator.

When, of the Select Council,

Messrs. Boswell, Elliott, Gilpin, Hagert, Morris, Roberts, Souder, Trucks, Tyson, Waterman, Wetherill, Pres't (11,) voted for Samuel Hains as Principal, and Marine T. W. Chandler as Assistant City Surveyor and Regulator.

Of the Common Council,

Messrs. Amos, Christian, Davis, Derbyshire, Fisher, Gemmill, Gerhard, Godley, Hutchinson, Lancaster, Lewis, Mentz, Orne, Poulson, Thomas, Thompson, Watt, Wilcox, Snowden, Pres't, (19,) voted for Samuel Hains as Principal, and Marine T. W. Chandler as Assistant City Surveyor and Regulator.

Whereupon, SAMUEL HAINS and MARINE T. W. CHANDLER, having each received thirty votes, the first was declared to be elected Principal City Surveyor and Regulator, and the second, Assistant City Surveyor and Regulator.

And it was

Ordered, That the Convention proceed to the election of eight Vaccine Physicians.

When, of the Select Council,

Messrs. Boswell, Elliott, Gilpin, Hagert, Morris, Roberts, Souder, Trucks, Tyson, Waterman, (10,) voted for Dr. Lawrence Turnbull.

Messrs. Boswell, Elliott, Gilpin, Hagert, Morris, Souder, Trucks, Tyson, Waterman, (9,) voted for Dr. R. P. Thomas.

Messrs. Elliott, Gilpin, Hagert, Morris, Roberts, Souder, Trucks, Waterman, Wetherill, Pres't, (9,) voted for Dr. B. Howard Rand.

Messrs. Boswell, Elliott, Hagert, Morris, Roberts, Souder, Trucks, Waterman, Wetherill, Pres't, (9,) voted for Dr. Horace Ladd.

Messrs. Boswell, Elliott, Gilpin, Hagert, Morris, Souder, Trucks, Waterman, Wetherill, Pres't, (9,) voted for Dr. Samuel Wolff.

Messrs, Boswell, Elliott, Gilpin, Hagert, Roberts, Trucks, Tyson, Wetherill, Pres't, (8,) voted for Dr. Edward R. Mayer.

Messrs. Boswell, Gilpin, Hagert, Roberts, Trucks, Tyson, Waterman, Wetherill, Pres't, (8,) voted for Dr. A. S. McMurray.

Messrs. Gilpin, Hagert, Morris, Roberts, Souder, Tyson, Waterman, Wetherill, Pres't, (8,) voted for Dr. Silas S. Brooks.

Messrs. Boswell, Elliott, Morris, Roberts, Souder, Tyson, Wetherill, Pres't, (7,) voted for Dr. R. R. Seldener.

Messrs. Gilpin, Morris, Roberts, Tyson, Wetherill, Pres't, (5,) voted for Dr. E. Wallace.

Messrs. Boswell, Elliott, Trucks, (3,) voted for Dr. Thos. S. Harper.

Messrs. Souder, Tyson, Waterman, (3,) voted for Dr. R. Maris.

Of the Common Council,

Messrs. Amos, Christian, Davis, Derbyshire, Fisher, Hutchinson, Lancaster, Mentz, Orne, Poulson, Thomas, Thompson, Watt, Wilcox, (14,) voted for Dr. L. Turnbull.

Messrs. Amos, Christian, Davis, Derbyshire, Fisher, Gerhard, Godley, Hutchinson, Lancaster, Lewis, Poulson, Watt, (12,) voted for Dr. R. P. Thomas.

Messrs. Amos, Christian, Davis, Derbyshire, Fisher, Gemmill, Gerhard, Godley, Hutchinson, Lancaster, Mentz, Orne, Thomas, Thompson, Watt, Wilcox, Snowden, Pres't, (17,) voted for Dr. B. H. Rand.

Messrs. Amos, Christian, Davis, Derbyshire, Gemmell, Gerhard, Godley, Hutchinson, Lancaster, Lewis, Mentz, Orne, Poulson, Thomas, Thompson, Watt, Snowden, Pres't, (17,) voted for Dr. H. Ladd.

Messrs. Amos, Davis, Derbyshire, Fisher, Gerhard, Orne, Poulson, Thomas, Thompson, Watt, Wilcox, Snowden, Pres't, (12,) voted for Dr. S. Wolff.

Messrs. Amos, Davis, Gemmill, Gerhard, Godley, Hutchinson, Lancaster, Lewis, Mentz, Poulson, Thomas, Thompson, Watt, Wilcox, Snowden, Pres't, (15,) voted for Dr. E. R. Mayer.

Messrs. Christian, Gemmill, Hutchinson, Lancaster, Lewis, Mentz, Orne, Poulson, Thomas, Thompson, Watt, Snowden, Pres't, (12,) voted for Dr. A. S. McMurray.

Messrs. Amos, Christian, Davis, Derbyshire, Fisher, Gemmill, Gerhard, Godley, Hutchinson, Lancaster, Lewis, Mentz, Orne, Poulson, Thomas, Snowden, Pres't, (16,) voted for Dr. S. S. Brooks.

Messrs. Christian, Fisher, Gemmill, Gerhard, Godley, Lancaster, Lewis, Orne, Thomas, Watt, Wilcox, Snowden, Pres't, (12,) voted for Dr. R. R. Seldener.

Messrs. Davis, Derbyshire, Fisher, Gemmill, Gerhard, Godley, Mentz, Poulson, Thompson, Wilcox, Snowden, Pres't, (11,) voted for Dr. E. Wallace.

Messrs. Lewis, Wilcox, (2,) voted for Dr. Thomas S. Harper.

Messrs. Amos, Christian, Derbyshire, Fisher, Gemmill, Godley, Hutchinson, Lewis, Mentz, Orne, Thompson, Wilcox, (12,) voted for Dr. R. Maris.

So that

Dr. Horace Ladd	had	26 votes,
Dr. B. Howard Rand	"	26 "
Dr. Lawrence Turnbull	"	24 "
Dr. Silas Swift Brooks	"	24 "
Dr. Edward R. Mayer	"	23 "
Dr. R. P. Thomas	"	21 "
Dr. Samuel Wolff	"	21 "
Dr. A. S. McMurray	"	20 "
Dr. R. R. Seldener	"	19 "
Dr. Elerslie Wallace	"	16 "
Dr. Richard Maris	"	15 "
Dr. Thomas S. Harper	"	5 "

Whereupon, Doctors LADD, RAND, TURNBULL, BROOKS,

MAYER, THOMAS, WOLFF, and McMURRAY, having each received a majority of the whole number of votes, were declared to be elected Vaccine Physicians of the City for the ensuing year.

And it was

Ordered, That the Convention do proceed to the election of a City Treasurer.

When, of the Select Council,

Messrs. Boswell, Elliott, Gilpin, Hagert, Morris, Roberts, Souder, Trucks, Waterman, Wetheril, Pres't (10,) voted for Cornelius Stevenson.

Of the Common Council,

Messrs. Amos, Christian, Davis, Derbyshire, Fisher, Gemmill, Gerhard, Godley, Hutchinson, Lancaster, Lewis, Mentz, Orne, Poulson, Thomas, Thompson, Watt, Wilcox, Snowden, Pres't, (19,) voted for Cornelius Stevenson.

Whereupon, CORNELIUS STEVENSON having received twenty-nine votes, was declared to be elected City Treasurer, for the ensuing year.

And it was

Ordered, That the Convention do proceed to the election of a Treasurer of the Girard Fund.

When, of the Select Council,

Messrs. Boswell, Elliott, Gilpin, Hagert, Morris, Roberts, Souder, Trucks Waterman, Wetherill, Pre'st, (10,) voted for Charles S. Smith.

Of the Common Council,

Messrs. Amos, Christian, Davis, Derbyshire, Fisher, Gemmil, Gerhard, Godley, Hutchinson, Lancaster, Lewis, Mentz, Orne, Poulson, Thomas, Thompson, Watt, Wilcox, Snowden, Pres't, (19,) voted for Charles S. Smith.

Whereupon, CHARLES S. SMITH having received twenty-nine votes, was declared to be elected Treasurer of the Girard Fund.

And it was

Ordered, That the Convention do proceed to the election of an Agent of the Girard Estates.

When, of the Select Council,

Messrs. Boswell, Elliott, Gilpin, Hagert, Morris, Roberts, Souder, Trucks, Waterman, Wetherill, Pres't, (10,) voted for Isaac Myer.

Of the Common Council,

Messrs. Amos, Christian, Davis, Derbyshire, Fisher, Gemmill, Gerhard, Godley, Hutchinson, Lancaster, Lewis, Mentz, Orne, Poulson, Thomas, Thompson, Watt, Wilcox, Snowden, Pres't, (19,) voted for Isaac Myer.

Whereupon ISAAC MYER having received twenty-nine votes, was declared to be elected Agent of the Girard Estates.

The Convention was then dissolved, and the Select Council retired.

A Message from Select Council,

Informed that they had received a report from the Watering Committee, in relation to the communication received from the Watering Committee of the Northern Districts, relative to the recent supply of water by the city to the district.

Which was read and laid on the table.

Another Message,

Informed that Select Council had passed the following,

Resolved, That the Clerks of Councils be directed to transmit to the Legislature of the Commonwealth, in conformity with the Will of Stephen Girard, copies of the Annual Report of the Commissioners of the Girard Estates, for the year 1848; together with the Report of the Building Committee of the Girard College, and such parts of the Report of the Board of Directors of the Girard College, as may be deemed important for the information of that body.

Which was twice read, and passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Another Message,

Informed, that Select Council had received a Report from the Directors of the Girard College, in relation to the subject of lighting the College with Gas, and had referred the same to the Committee on Police.

Which was read.

On Motion,

Common Council concurred in the reference.

Another Message,

Informed that Select Council had passed the following Preamble and Resolution:—

Whereas, a bill, entitled “An act to Incorporate the Erie and Ohio Railroad Company,” was incautiously passed by the Senate and House of Representatives, at their last session, the object of which bill is to authorize the construction of a railway from the Ohio line to the town of Erie :

And whereas, it is the judgment of these Councils, that a railroad connection between the points referred to, would be followed by immense loss to the public works of Pennsylvania, and inflict incalculable injury upon the State at large, and the City of Philadelphia: therefore,

Resolved, That the Presidents of the Select and Common Councils be requested to memorialize the Governor and Legislature with a view to prevent, if possible, the enactment of the said bill into a law, or so neutralize its effect by such other act of Legislation as the case may require.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the same.

The resolution was agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Another Message.

Informed that Select Council had received a Report from the Committee on Cleansing, and had passed a Bill thereto annexed, entitled "An Ordinance making a temporary appropriation on cleansing the city."

Which was read.

On motion,

Councils proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Bill annexed to the Report.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to,

And the Bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then, by special order, read a third time and passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Adjourned.

THURSDAY, January 18, 1849.

Council met.—Present,

Messrs. Amos,	Messrs. Lennig,
Christian,	Lewis,
Davis,	Mentz,
Derbyshire,	Orne,
Fisher,	Poulson,
Gemmill,	Thomas,
Gerhard,	Thompson,
Godley,	Watt,
Hutchinson,	Snowden, Pres't.
Lancaster,	

Mr. Derbyshire

Presented a petition of citizens asking that a Fire Plug may be placed on Delaware avenue, between Chestnut and Walnut streets, for the convenience of the shipping.

Which was read, and referred to the Watering Committee.

Mr. Davis

One asking that a quantity of Hose may be kept in the vicinity of each Fire Plug for use in case of Fire.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Legacies and Trusts.

Mr. Thomas

A petition of the Little Schuylkill and Susquehanna Rail Road Company, asking a lease of a portion of the Girard Lands in aid of the completion of their road.

Which was read and referred to the Commissioners of the Girard estates.

Also,

The Fifteenth Annual Report (Appendix, No. 17,) of the Board of Managers of the Wills Hospital.

Which was read, and

On motion of Mr. Fisher,

250 copies were ordered to be printed for the use of members.

Mr. Thomas

Presented a communication from D. Parrish, Secretary of the Managers of the Wills Hospital, informing of a vacancy in the board occasioned by the death of Robert Toland.

Which was read and laid on the table.

Mr. Lewis

Presented a communication from the New Jersey Magnetic Telegraph Company asking permission to extend their line from their present terminus to the south-east corner of Third and Dock streets.

Which was read and laid on the table.

Mr. Lewis

Offered the following:

Resolved, That permission be granted to the New Jersey Magnetic Telegraph Company to extend the line of posts in Third street from their present termination to Gowan's Building near the Exchange, under such restrictions and limitations as the Committee on Public Highways may deem proper.

Which was read twice and passed.

Select Council concurred.

The President

Laid before Council a communication from Leech Tyson asking to be released from a penalty incurred in consequence of violating the Ordinance relative to driving cattle over the Permanent Bridge.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on City Property.

Also,

A Communication from F. Fraley, President of the Philadelphia Gas Works, informing of a vacancy in the Board of Trustees occasioned by the resignation of F. Brown, Esq.

Which was read and laid on the table.

Also,

One from the President of the Board of City Commissioners enclosing the annual Rent Roll of the City Property. (See Appendix to Select Council.)

Which was read and laid on the table.

Mr. Davis,

From the Committee on Finance, made a report (Appendix, No. 18,) with a resolution and bill annexed, to wit :

Resolved, That the Mayor be authorized and directed, on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Citizens of Philadelphia, to release from the lien of a judgment, entered in the District Court for the City and County of Philadelphia, on the 15th day of June, A. D. 1848, to June term, 1848, No. 42, in which the Mayor, Aldermen, and Citizens of Philadelphia are plaintiffs, and Charles M'Cowen, Henry Sailor, and Sarah M'Cowen are defendants, the following described property belonging to Henry Sailor, one of the said defendants, viz. : All that certain messuage or tenement and lot or piece of ground, situate on the east side of Delaware Sixth street between High and Mulberry street, in the City of Philadelphia, containing in breadth, north and south, twenty feet, and in length or depth ninety-six feet, bounded northward by ground now or late of William Haverstick, Jr., eastward by ground now or late of Michael Herbert, southward by ground late of John Garrigues, and westward by Sixth street aforesaid. Subject to a yearly rent charge or sum of one hundred and fifty dollars, payable in half-yearly payments. Provided the other defendants in said judgment consent thereto.

Also,

“ An Ordinance to provide for the payment of money by the City Treasurer and Treasurer of the Girard fund in cases therein mentioned.”

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution annexed to the report.

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the bill annexed to the report.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to,

And the Bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then by special order read a third time and passed.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Davis

Moved that Council proceed to the election of two Trustees of the Philadelphia Gas Works, to serve for three years, and one in the place of, and for the unexpired time of, F. Brown, Esq., resigned.

Which was agreed to.

Messrs. Davis and Mentz were appointed tellers, who having collected and counted the votes, reported that

Frederick Fraley had 16 votes.

Samuel Norris “ 17 “

And for the unexpired time of F. Brown, Esq., resigned,
James Traquair had 18 votes.

Whereupon Frederick Fraley and Samuel Norris were declared elected Trustees of the Gas Works for three years, and James Traquair in the place of, and for the unexpired time of, F. Brown, Esq., resigned.

Mr. Mentz

Moved that Council proceed to the election of a Manager of the Wills Hospital in the place of Robert Toland, Esq., deceased.

Which was agreed to.

Messrs. Mentz and Thompson were appointed tellers, who having collected and counted the votes, reported that

Alexander L. Hodgdon had 14 votes,

Pemberton Morris “ 5

Whereupon, Alexander L. Hodgdon was declared elected a Manager of the Wills Hospital, in the place of, and for the unexpired time of Robert Toland, Esq., deceased.

Mr. Gerhard

Moved that Council proceed to the second reading and consideration of the resolution annexed to the report of the Joint Special Committee appointed March 16th 1848, and reported to this Council as unfinished business, to wit:

Resolved, That the Annual Report to Councils, of the Trustees of the Philadelphia Gas Works, shall contain in tabular forms, the following items—

FIRST. A statement of the additions to and enlargements of the Works, for the manufacture and storage of Gas.

SECOND. A statement of the number of feet, and the size of the pipes laid for the distribution of Gas: the number of services and meters by which it is introduced into the houses of customers and measured for them.

THIRD. The quantities of coal, lime, and other materials used in making and purifying the Gas; and the quantities of Gas and residual products derived from the use of such materials.

FOURTH. The quantities of Gas supplied to private customers in the city, to the public lamps in the city, and to the municipal and other corporations beyond the city limits, stating for each separately.

FIFTH. The amount of cash received in each year, stating particularly, how much has been obtained from sales of Gas, sales of coke, sales of lime, coal, tar, and service pipes, and meter cocks, and the total amount of interest on the Sinking Fund, whether arising from the City or Gas loans, and also for any extraordinary receipt, should there be such, stating each separately.

SIXTH. The respective payments made by the Trustees—

For the construction or enlargement of the Works.

For the extension of the Street Mains.

For the Service Pipes and Meters.

For Coals and other materials used in the manufacture and purification of Gas.

For wages of the workmen employed in the manufacture and distribution of Gas.

For repairs of the Works, Street Mains, Service Pipes and Meters.

For incidental charges, such as printing statements, and miscellaneous matters of small amount.

For salaries of the officers, stating each separately.

For interest on the Gas debt, including that pertaining to the Sinking Fund.

For any extraordinary payment, if such should have been made during the year.

SEVENTH. A statement showing the aggregate amount of the investments in works, distribution, service pipes and Meters, and public lamps, the amount of cash on hand, the amount of the suspended debt, the amount due for gas, coke, coal, tar, lime, &c., the quantity of coal, gas, coke, lime, coal, tar, &c. on hand.

EIGHTH. The liabilities of the Works for the amount of the loans authorized and expended in the construction, the debts

due for coal, repairs, and materials of all kinds, and wages and salaries, the debts, if any, due for works, materials or labor for constructing or enlarging the Works, or for extending the distribution and supply of Gas to customers.

NINTH. A statement showing the amount and investments of the Sinking Fund as follows :

First, The amount of the fund on the first day of January, of the year for which the report is made.

Second, The increase of the fund during the year, stating separately, and particularly, the increase by the annual appropriation of 2 per cent. on the 6 per cent. Gas Loans, and 3 per cent. on the 5 per cent. Gas Loans, out of the profits of the Works, and the increase derived from interest on the invested portion of the fund.

Third, The amount of City and Gas Loans forming the invested portions of the Sinking Fund, the time when the certificates thereof are redeemable, and the rate of interest receivable thereon, and the balance thereof, if any, uninvested.

TENTH. A statement of the amount of the contingent fund for enlargement and extraordinary repairs and renewals, showing the amount thereof on the first day of the year, the increase during the year, the amount expended thereout during the year, the whole amount thereof expended, and the balance unexpended, if any.

ELEVENTH. A statement of the profit and loss account for the year, stating the several items thereof, and how the profits have been appropriated or applied, and what the balance, if any, will remain in the hands of the Trustees, after complying with the Ordinances relative to the prices to be charged for Gas, and what reduction, if any, such balance will authorize the Trustees to make on the price to be charged for Gas in the ensuing year.

Which was read,

And being under consideration,

Mr. Thomas

Moved that the further consideration thereof be postponed until next meeting.

Which was agreed to.

A message from Select Council

Informed that they had passed the following, to wit:

Resolved, That the Committee on Police be instructed to inquire into the propriety of increasing the salaries of the High Constables and Day Policemen, and Night Police, Special Constables and Lamplighters, and of providing the night policemen with suitable overcoats.

Which was read.

On motion

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Resolution,

When the same was not agreed to.

So Common Council non-concurred.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had passed the following:

Resolved, That the Committee on City Property be directed to purchase the portrait of General Washington offered to the City for sale by John Binns, Esq., at the price at which it is offered by him, and that the same be placed in the Hall of Independence.

Which was read twice and passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Adjourned.

THURSDAY, February 1, 1849.

Council met.—Present,

Messrs. Amos,
Christian,
Davis,
Derbyshire,
Fisher,
Gemmill,
Gerhard,
Godley,
Lancaster,

Messrs. Lennig,
Lewis,
Mentz,
Orne,
Poulson,
Thomas,
Thompson,
Watt,
Wilcox,
Snowden, Pres't.

Mr. Thomas

Presented a petition from the Night Policemen, asking an increase of their pay.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Police.

Also,

One from owners of property, and residents in the vicinity of George Street, from Schuylkill Fourth to Fifth Streets, asking that said square may be paved.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

Mr. Orne

One from Citizens asking that a Scientific Survey may be made to ascertain the best means of improving the drainage of Dock Street.

Which was read, and laid on the table.

The President

Laid before Council the Fourteenth Annual Report of the Trustees of the Philadelphia Gas Works, (See Appendix, Select Council.)

Which was read, and on motion of Mr. Davis, ordered to be printed, under the direction of the Trustees.

Mr. Fisher

From the Committee on Legacies and Trusts, reported a Bill, (Appendix, No. 19) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Sale of part of the lot on which the Wills Hospital is built."

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the bill.

The first section being under consideration,

Mr. Davis

Made a motion, that the further consideration thereof be postponed.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Poulson,

From the Joint Special Committee, appointed December 7th, 1848, on the subject of Public Hygiene, made a report, (Appendix, No. 20) with a resolution annexed, to wit:

Resolved, That the Report of the Committee, and accompanying documents, be placed on the Journals of Councils, and that the Committee be and they are hereby authorized to cause to be printed five hundred copies of the same.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution annexed to the report.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Davis,

From the Committee on Finance, made a Report (Appendix, No. 21) with a Resolution and Bill thereto annexed, to wit:

Resolved, That the room lately occupied by the Mayor for a private office shall be hereafter appropriated exclusively for the use of the Committees of Councils; and the room in the rear of

the City Treasurer's Office shall be for the exclusive use and accommodation of the City Treasurer, and the Committee on Finance are hereby authorized to make such alterations therein, and in the City Treasurer's Office, as they may deem expedient.

Also,

“An Ordinance to fix the Salary of the City Treasurer.”

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Resolution annexed to the Report.

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Bill annexed to the Report.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to,

And the Bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then, by special order, read a third time and passed.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Davis,

From the same Committee, made a further Report (Appendix, No. 22) with a Bill annexed, entitled “An Ordinance making Appropriations and for raising Supplies for the year 1849.”

Which was read.

And on motion of Mr. Wilcox, ordered to be printed for the use of members.

Mr. Lewis,

From the Committee on Public Highways, made a Report,

(Appendix, No. 23) with a Bill annexed, entitled “An Ordinance relating to Water Street.”

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Bill annexed to the Report.

The first section was agreed to.

The second section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to,

And the Bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then by special order read a third time, and passed.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Lewis,

From the same Committee, made a further report (Appendix, No. 24) with a Bill annexed, entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a Culvert in Walnut Street.”

Which was read.

On motion

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Bill annexed to the Report.

The first and only section being under consideration,

Mr. Orne

Moved that the further consideration thereof be postponed.

Which was not agreed to,

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to,

And the Bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then by special order read a third time, and passed.

Mr. Wilcox

Offered the following :

Resolved, That Daniel Smith, Jr., and Wm. S. Smith, be and they are hereby approved as the sureties of the Treasurer of the Girard Fund.

Which was read twice, and passed.

Mr. Gerhard

Moved that when this Council adjourns, it adjourn to meet on Thursday evening next.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Lewis

Offered the following :

Resolved, That in the matter of the petition of Andrew Benner, for compensation for loss sustained by him, by his horses falling into the Culvert at Eleventh and High Streets, on the 7th of August, 1848, referred to the Committee on Public Highways, the said Committee be, and hereby are authorized, to act in the premises.

Which was read twice, and passed.

Select Council concurred.

Also,

The following :

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Highways be instructed to inquire into and report on the expediency of adopting the plan of pavement for public streets, invented by Mr. P. H. Russ, of New York.

Which was read twice, and passed.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Gerhard

Moved that Council proceed to the second reading and con-

sideration of the Resolution before Council at the last meeting relative to the Annual Report of the Gas Works.

Which was agreed to.

And on the question, shall the resolution pass?

The yeas and nays were required, and were as follows:

Yeas,—Messrs. Christian, Davis, Derbyshire, Fisher, Gemmill, Gerhard, Godley, Lancaster, Lennig, Mentz, Orne, Poulson, Thomas, Thompson, Watt, Wilcox, Snowden, Pres't,—17.

Nays,—Messrs. Amos, Lewis,—2.

So the Resolution was agreed to.

A message from Select Council

Informed that they had received a Report from the Committee of Visitation to the Girard College for the months of December and January, which they transmitted for information.

Which was read and laid on the table.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had received a Report from the Joint Special Committee on inviting General Z. Taylor to visit Philadelphia, which they transmitted for information.

Which was read, and laid on the table.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had received a Report from the Commissioners of the Girard Estate, and had passed a Bill thereto annexed, entitled "An Ordinance making appropriations from the Girard Estate, for the year 1849, for the purposes therein mentioned."

Which was read.

On motion

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Bill annexed to the Report.

The first, second, and third sections were agreed to.

The title was agreed to,

And the Bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then by special order read a third time, and passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had received a Report from the Board of Directors of the Girard College for Orphans, with a statement of the expenditures of the Board, which they had transmitted for information.

Which was read, and laid on the table.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had passed the following, to wit:

Resolved, That the Committee on City Property be authorized to inquire into the expediency of purchasing the portraits and other paintings, about two hundred in number, lately belonging to Peale's Museum, and now in possession of the Trustees of the Bank of the United States, and to report to Councils.

Which was read.

And on motion of Mr. Gerhard, laid on the table.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had received a Report from the Commissioners of the Girard Estates, and passed the following resolution thereto annexed, to wit:

Resolved, That upon the payment of six hundred and twenty-five dollars, by the President, Managers and Company of the Schuylkill Navigation Company, to the Treasurer of the Girard Fund, to be credited to the account of the second hereinafter mentioned mortgage, the Mayor be, and he is hereby authorized, on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Citizens of Philadelphia, to release from the lien of a mortgage, given and executed by the said President, Managers and Company of the Schuylkill Navigation Company to Stephen Girard, to secure the payment

of the sum of two hundred and thirty thousand eight hundred and fifty dollars, dated the 18th day of February, 1823, and John Bohlen, surviving trustee, be, and he is hereby authorized to release, from the lien of a mortgage given and executed by the said Company to John Bohlen and others, Trustees, to secure the payment of the sum of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, to certain loanholders of said Company, dated the 29th day of November, 1823, which said first mentioned mortgage and debt thereby secured, is the property of the Mayor, Aldermen and Citizens of Philadelphia; and the said Mayor, Aldermen and Citizens of Philadelphia are the cestuis que trusts in the last mentioned mortgage, the following described property, viz: a certain lot or piece of ground, situated at the north-westwardly corner of Main and Robeson streets in Manayunk, Roxborough township, Philadelphia county, beginning at the aforesaid corner of Main and Robeson streets, thence extending by the said Robeson street two hundred and thirty-seven 8-10 feet to Cresson street; thence extending by the said Cresson street one hundred and seventy-eight 66-100 feet; thence extending by other ground of the said Navigation Company, on a line parallel with Mechanic street, and at the distance of sixty feet therefrom, two hundred feet, to Main street, aforesaid; thence extending by the said Main street fifty feet, to the place of beginning; (being the same premises which the President, Managers and Company of the Schuylkill Navigation Company, by indenture, bearing date the first day of June, A. D. 1830, granted and conveyed to Hugh Mullen, his heirs and assigns, subject to the payment of the annual rent or sum of thirty-seven dollars and fifty cents :) *Provided*, that the said releases shall not be construed to affect, alter or diminish the lien of the said mortgages for the whole sums due thereon, on the other remaining parts of the premises granted and described in the said mortgages, nor the power to take out execution in conformity with the said mortgages, and to proceed thereon for the sale of the other said parts.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Resolution annexed to the Report.

When the same was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had passed the following :

Resolved, That upon the payment of eight hundred and thirty-three dollars and thirty-four cents, by the President, Managers and Company of the Schuylkill Navigation Company, to the Treasurer of the Girard fund, to be credited to the account of the second hereinafter mentioned mortgage, the Mayor be, and he is hereby authorized, on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Citizens of Philadelphia, to release from the lien of a mortgage, given and executed by the said President, Managers and Company of the Schuylkill Navigation Company to Stephen Girard, to secure the payment of the sum of two hundred and thirty thousand eight hundred and fifty dollars, dated the 18th day of February, 1823, and John Bohlen, surviving trustee, be, and he is hereby authorized to release from the lien of a mortgage given and executed by the said Company to John Bohlen and others, Trustees, to secure the payment of the sum of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, to certain loanholders of the said Company, dated the 29th day of November, 1823, which said first mentioned mortgage and debt thereby secured, is the property of the Mayor, Aldermen and Citizens of Philadelphia ; and the Mayor, Aldermen and Citizens of Philadelphia are the cestuis que trusts in the last mentioned mortgage, the following described property, viz : all that certain lot or piece of ground, situate on the north-easterly side of Main street in Manayunk, in Roxborough township, in the county of Philadelphia, beginning at the distance of fifty feet from the north-easterly corner of Main street and Grape street, thence extending by the said Main street south sixty-two degrees, east one hundred feet, thence extending, by ground of the Schuylkill Navigation Company, north twenty-eight degrees, east two hundred feet, to Cresson street ; thence extending by the said Cresson street, north sixty-two degrees,

west one hundred feet ; thence by ground of Joseph Johnson, south twenty-eight degrees, west two hundred feet, to the place of beginning ; being the same premises which The President, Managers and Company of the Schuylkill Navigation Company, by deed, dated the thirtieth day of March, A. D. 1827, granted and conveyed unto Jacob Norton, his heirs and assigns, subject to the payment of the yearly rent charge of fifty dollars, per annum : *Provided*, that the said releases shall not be construed to affect, alter or diminish the lien of the said mortgages for the whole sums due thereon, on the other remaining parts of the premises granted and described in the said mortgages, nor the power to take out execution in conformity with the said mortgages, and to proceed thereon for the sale of the other said parts

Which was read twice and passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had elected Mathias W. Baldwin and John Agnew, Trustees of the Philadelphia Gas Works, to serve for the ensuing three years.

Adjourned.

THURSDAY, February 8, 1849.

Council met.—Present,

Messrs. Amos,
Christian,
Davis,
Derbyshire,
Fisher,
Gemmill,
Gerhard,
Godley,
Hutchinson,
Lancaster,

Messrs. Lewis,
Mentz,
Orne,
Poulson,
Thomas,
Thompson,
Watt,
Wilcox,
Snowden, Pres't.

Mr. Orne

Presented a Resolution passed by the Board of Wardens of the Port, against the construction of a Culvert in Walnut Street.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

The President

Laid before Council a Communication from E. C. Biddle, Secretary to the Board of Directors of the Public Schools, informing of the resignation of Aaron H. Burtis, Esq., a member of said Board.

Which was read, and laid on the table.

Mr. Watt

Presented a Remonstrance from residents of the south-western part of the City, against the location of the new Market House in Schuylkill Front Street.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on City Property.

Mr. Poulson

Presented a Memorial from citizens, asking a change in the ordinance relative to the time of paying Water Rents.

Which was read, and referred to the Watering Committee.

Mr. Hutchinson

Offered the following:

Resolved, That the Committee on Cleansing be requested to inquire into the expediency of having the Coal Ashes removed in covered carts.

Which was read twice and passed.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Davis

Moved that Council proceed to the second reading and consideration of the Bill entitled, "An Ordinance making appropriations, and for raising supplies for the year 1849."

Which was agreed to.

The first section being under consideration,

Mr. Davis

Moved to consider the same by items.

Which was agreed to.

Item No. 1, appropriation to the Watering Committee, was agreed to.

Item No. 2, appropriation to the Committee on Finance was agreed to.

Item No. 3, appropriation to the Committee on Police, being under consideration,

Mr. Gerhard

Moved to amend the same by striking out the words "one Lieutenant of Police, \$800."

On agreeing to which, the yeas and nays were required, and were as follows:

Yeas,—Messrs. Amos, Davis, Derbyshire, Gemmill, Gerhard, Lancaster, Lewis, Orne, Watt, Wilcox, Snowden, Pres't.—11.

Nays,—Messrs. Christian, Fisher, Godley, Hutchinson, Poulson, Thomas, Thompson.—7.

So the motion was agreed to.

Item No. 3 as amended was agreed to.

Item No. 4, to the Committee on Public Highways, being under consideration,

Mr. Poulson

Moved to amend the same by striking out the words “Re-paving Delaware Avenue, \$3000.”

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Lewis

Moved to further amend the same by inserting the words, “For Building a Culvert in Walnut Street, \$7,500.”

Which was agreed to.

Item No. 4 as amended was agreed to.

Item No. 5, to the Committee on Cleansing, was agreed to.

Item No. 6, to the Committee on City Property, being under consideration,

Mr. Davis

Moved to amend the same by striking out “2,500,” at the end of the fourteenth line, and inserting “1,500” in lieu thereof.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Davis

Moved to further amend the same by striking out the twenty-first line, to wit, “For Building a new Market House in Schuylkill Front Street, between Pine and Lombard, \$3,500.”

On agreeing to which the yeas and nays were required, and were as follows :

Yeas,—Messrs. Christian, Davis, Derbyshire, Fisher, Gemmill, Gerhard, Lancaster, Lewis, Orne, Thomas, Thompson.—11.

Nays.—Messrs. Amos, Godley, Hutchinson, Poulson, Watt, Wilcox, Snowden, Pres't.—7.

So the amendment was agreed to.

Mr. Davis

Moved to further amend Item No. 6, by inserting after line six, the following, “For extending Wharf at Market Street, \$5000.”

Which was agreed to.

Item No. 6, as amended, was agreed to.

Item No. 7, to the Committee on Legacies and Trusts, was agreed to.

Item No. 8, to the Trustees of the City Ice Boat, was agreed to.

The first section, as amended, was agreed to.

The second section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

And the Bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then read a third time and passed.

Mr. Davis

Offered the following :

Resolved, That the Trustees of the Gas Works be authorized to purchase, for the purpose of storing coals, &c., therein, a certain lot of ground situate on the river Schuylkill, immediately south of the Permanent Bridge, bounded on the east by Beech Street, and on the west by the river Schuylkill, and containing in front on said Beech Street one hundred feet, and in depth to the said river, one hundred and eighty-three feet: *Provided*, the cost of the same shall not exceed six thousand dollars.

Which was read twice and passed.

A message from Select Council

Informed that they were ready to meet Common Council in Convention, for the purpose of electing a Director of the Public

Schools, in the place of, and for the unexpired time of Aaron H. Burtis, Esq., resigned.

Which was read.

On motion,

It was ordered that Select Council be informed that Common Council is ready to receive them in their Chamber, for the purpose of proceeding to an election.

After a short time the President, Clerk, and Members of Select Council entered.

Councils being assembled in Convention,

The President announced the object thereof.

And it was ordered

That the Convention do proceed to the election of a Director of the Public Schools.

Messrs. Waterman of the Select, and Gemmill of the Common Council, were appointed tellers.

Who having collected and counted the votes, reported that twenty-eight votes had been received, all of which were for

JOHN CLAYTON.

Whereupon John Clayton was declared elected a Director of the Public Schools, in the place of, and for the unexpired time of Aaron H. Burtis, Esq., resigned.

The Convention was then dissolved, and Select Council retired.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had received a Report from the Commissioners of the Girard Estates, in answer to the Petition of the "Little Schuylkill and Susquehanna Rail Road Company," with the following Resolution annexed, to wit :

Resolved, That the Committee be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution annexed to the report.

And being under consideration,

Mr. Thomas

Moved that the further consideration thereof be postponed.

Which was not agreed to.

The resolution was then agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had received a further Report from the Commissioners of the Girard Estates, relative to the communication referred to them from the Counsel of the Heirs of Stephen Girard, with the following annexed, to wit :

Resolved, That the Committee be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

Which was read twice and passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Mr. Fisher

Moved that Council proceed to the second reading and consideration of the Bill entitled, "An Ordinance to authorize the sale of part of the lot on which the Wills Hospital is built."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section being under consideration,

Mr. Amos

Moved that the further consideration thereof be postponed.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Thomas

Moved that Council proceed to the second reading and

consideration of the Resolutions annexed to the Report of Committee on Rules and Regulations, read Nov. 22, 1848.

Which was agreed to.

The first Resolution being under consideration,

Mr. Lewis

Moved to amend the same by striking out all after the words "Eighth Rule," where it occurs at the commencement of the fifth line, and inserting the following in lieu thereof:

"Either Council may refer to a joint special or standing committee: the reports of all joint committees shall be in writing, signed by a majority of the members; and in the case of a joint reference be made to the Council in which the business referred commenced, and in the case of a separate reference be made to the Council by which the business was referred, and shall be therein acted on, after which information shall be given to the other Council, accompanied by the report of the committee."

Which was agreed to.

The Resolution, as amended, was agreed to.

The second Resolution was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred, with an amendment.

A message from Select Council

Informed that they had concurred in the Bill entitled, "An Ordinance making appropriations, and for raising supplies for the year 1849," with amendments to the same, to wit:

Strike out the words "and State Tax," in the fourth line of item No. 2, of the 1st section, and insert the word "and" before the word "commissions."

Insert the words "One Lieutenant of Police, \$800 00," in line one, item 4, of the appropriation No. 3. Strike out "\$135,-651 79," at the end of the same appropriation, No. 3, and insert in lieu thereof, "\$136,451 79."

Strike out the words "which expires March 2, 1849," at the end of item 1, No. 5, appropriation to Committee on Cleans-

ing, and insert the same after the word "contract," in the same item.

Which was read.

Mr. Davis

Moved that Common Council do concur in the amendments of Select Council.

Which was agreed to.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had concurred in Resolution authorizing the Trustees of the Gas Works to purchase a certain lot of ground, with an amendment, to wit :

Add the following words at the end thereof :

"Provided that the purchase money for the same shall be paid out of, and charged against the profits of the Works, before any further reduction be made in the price of Gas."

Which was read.

On motion,

Common Council concurred in the amendment of Select Council.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had had under consideration the Bill entitled, "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a Culvert in Walnut Street," and had referred the same to the Committee on Public Highways, with instructions to report at the earliest day.

Which was read.

Mr. Fisher

Moved that Common Council do not concur in the reference.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council non-concurred.

Adjourned.

THURSDAY, February 15, 1849.

Council met.—Present,

Messrs. Amos,
Christian,
Derbyshire,
Fisher,
Gemmill,
Gerhard,
Godley,
Hutchinson,
Lancaster,
Lennig,

Messrs. Lewis,
Mentz,
Orne,
Poulson,
Thomas,
Thompson,
Watt,
Wilcox,
Snowden, Pres't.

Mr. Lewis

Presented a Petition of owners and occupants of property in the vicinity of Rittenhouse Square, asking that the street on the south side of said Square, between Schuylkill 4th and 5th streets, also Ann Street, may be paved.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

The President

Laid before Council the annual account of receipts and payments at the City Treasury, for the year 1848. (Appendix No. 25.)

Also,

The Annual Report of the City Commissioners, for the year 1848. (Appendix No. 26.)

Which was read, and laid on the table.

Mr. Gemmill,

From the Committee on Finance, made a report, (Appendix No. 27,) with the following resolution annexed, to wit :

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be directed to charge the Watering Committee with the sum of \$4,504 03, and the Committee on Cleansing with \$4.57. The same being the amounts standing to their credit respectively on the books of the Treasurer, on the 31st December, 1848.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution annexed to the Report.

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Gemmill,

From the same Committee, made a further report, (Appendix No. 28,) with the following resolution annexed, to wit:

Resolved, That the Committee on Finance shall be authorized until all instalments on the stock of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company are fully paid up, to receive all sums due the City from said Company, for interest in the six per cent. loan of the City at par, and that all certificates of loan so received, shall be cancelled by the Committee on Finance.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution annexed to the report.

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Poulson,

From the Committee on Police, made a report, (Appendix No. 29,) with the following resolution annexed, to wit:

Resolved, That the Committee on Police be discharged from the consideration of the subject of introducing gas into Girard College, and that this subject be referred to the Commissioners of the Girard Estates.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution annexed to the report.

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Poulson,

From the same Committee, to whom was referred the memorial of the Night Police, asking an increase of their pay, made a report, (Appendix No. 30,) adverse to the same, with the following resolution annexed, to wit :

Resolved, That the Committee on Police be discharged from the further consideration of this subject.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution annexed to the report

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Gerhard

Offered the following :

Resolved, That the Annual Report of the Trustees of the Philadelphia Gas Works, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Which was read twice and passed.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Lewis

Moved that Council proceed to the second reading and consideration of the resolution from Select Council, February 8th, relative to the Paintings recently belonging to Peale's Museum.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Thompson, on leave given,

Presented a communication from Wm. Hamilton, Actuary of the Franklin Institute, inviting Councils to view the new Light House, intended for the Brandywine Shoals, now erected in their Hall.

Which was read, and on motion of Mr. Poulson, the invitation was accepted.

Mr. Fisher

Offered the following :

Resolved, That the Committee on Police be requested to examine into, and report whether the number of policemen attached to the Mayor's office, may not be reduced without injury to the public interests.

Which was read twice and passed.

Select Council concurred.

The President

Laid before Council a petition of renters of Stalls and Stands in the Second street Market House, complaining of the occupancy of the sidewalks opposite said Market, by dealers who pay no rent.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Police.

A message from Select Council,

Informed that they had passed the following preamble and resolutions, to wit :

Whereas, great expense, delay and inconvenience are occasioned by the Inclined Plane, on the Columbia Railroad, and the interruption it causes to business and travel, is highly prejudicial to the interests of the City.

And whereas, the recent survey made by order of the Canal Commissioners, proves the entire practicability of avoiding the plane, by a comparatively small expenditure, and by a route alike convenient to the City and County of Philadelphia: Therefore,

Resolved, That the Presidents of the Select and Common Councils be, and they are hereby authorized and requested to memorialize the General Assembly of the State, in favor of the immediate construction of a Railroad leading to the City by which the Inclined Plane on the Schuylkill may be avoided.

Resolved, That the Committee on City Property be authorized and directed to adopt such means as they may deem proper to urge the early enactment of a law for the purpose above set forth.

Which was read twice and passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Another message,

Informed that Select Council had passed the following, to wit :

Resolved, That the Committee on the Library be instructed to inquire and report, whether an arrangement can be made with Alexander Vattermare, as the agent for international exchanges, by which the City may be entitled to books on the municipal affairs of foreign countries, in return for such duplicate copies of books and prints as can be spared belonging to the Corporation.

Which was read twice and passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Another message,

Informed that Select Council had concurred in the resolution annexed to the report of the Joint Special Committee to whom was referred the communication from Dr. Parrish, on the subject of Public Hygiene.

Also,

That they have concurred in the Resolution relative to the Annual Reports of the Philadelphia Gas Works.

Which was read, and laid on the table.

Adjourned.

THURSDAY, March 1st, 1849.

Council met—Present,

Messrs. Amos,
Christian,
Davis,
Derbyshire,
Fisher,
Gemmill,
Gerhard,
Godley,
Hutchinson,

Messrs. Lancaster,
Lennig,
Lewis,
Mentz,
Orne,
Poulson,
Watt,
Wilcox,
Snowden, Prest.

Mr. Davis

Presented a communication from Messrs. E. S. Whelen and J. Anspach, jr., asking a lease of a portion of the Girard lands to aid in the completion of a rail road through the same.

Which was read and referred to the Commissioner of the Girard Estates.

Mr Lewis,

From the Committee on Public Highways, made a report, (Appendix, No. 31,) with a bill annexed entitled, “An Ordinance to change the names of certain streets.”

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Bill annexed to the report.

The first and only section was agreed to,

The title was agreed to,

And the Bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then by Special Order read a third time and passed.

Select Council concurred.

A message from Select Council

Informed that they had

Rescinded their reference of the Bill from Common Council annexed to the report of the Committee on Public Highways entitled, "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a culvert in Walnut street," and have concurred in the Bill, with amendments, to wit:

Strike out all after the enacting clause, and insert the following, to wit:

"That a topographical survey be made, under the direction of the Committee on Public Highways, by three persons, to be appointed by said Committee, who shall explore the region of Dock street, with a view to ascertain the best system of drainage; the cause of the occasional overflow of water to the cellars on that street; and the effect, if any, of the tides from the Delaware river, and of the present culvert; also whether a tight and strong culvert in Dock street would be sufficient for the district drained by Dock street, with the cost thereof; and how far the evil complained of may be remedied by a culvert down Walnut from the point of Dock street, together with the best mode of constructing the same, so as to do the least possible injury to the wharves and shipping, with an estimate of the cost of such construction."

Strike out all after the words "An Ordinance" in the title, and insert in lieu thereof the following, to wit:

"For a scientific examination of the region of Dock street, and for ascertaining the propriety of constructing a culvert down Walnut street."

Which was read.

Mr. Fisher

Moved that Common Council non-concur in the amendment of Select Council;

Which was agreed to.

Another message

Informed that Select Council was ready to meet Common Council in convention for the purpose of electing six members of the Board of Health to serve for the ensuing year.

Which was read, and

On motion,

It was ordered that Select Council be informed that Common Council is ready to receive them in their chamber for the purpose of proceeding with the election.

After a short time the President, Clerk, and members of the Select Council entered.

Councils being assembled in Convention, the President announced the object thereof, and it was

Ordered, That the Convention do proceed to elect six members of the Board of Health to serve for the ensuing year.

Mr. Elliott of the Select and Mr. Wilcox of the Common Council, were appointed Tellers, who reported that 24 votes had been received, of which

John Lindsay	had	23
Samuel W. Weer	"	23
Edward Duff	"	20
John C. Martin	"	20
J. A. Elkinton, M.D.	"	18
Jos. M. Thomas	"	16
George Fox, M.D.	"	13
J. H. Irvin	"	8
G. R. Smith	"	1
Samuel Kelly	"	1
Samuel Smith	"	1

Whereupon John Lindsay, Samuel W. Weer, Edward Duff, John C. Martin, J. A. Elkinton, M.D. and Joseph M. Thomas, were declared to be duly elected members of the Board of Health for the ensuing year.

The Convention was then dissolved and Select Council returned.

A message from Select Council

Informed that they had adhered to their amendment to the Bill from Common Council, entitled, “An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a culvert in Walnut street.” And had appointed a Committee of Conference, to wit:

Messrs. Tyson, Elliott, and Morris.

Mr. Lewis

Moved that a Committee be appointed on the part of Common Council.

Which was agreed to.

The President

Appointed Messrs. Lewis, Godley, and Amos, the Committee.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had passed the following, to wit:

Resolved, That a Topographical Survey be made, under the direction of the Committee on Public Highways, by three persons to be appointed by said Committee, who shall explore the region of Dock street, with a view to ascertain the best system of drainage; the cause of the occasional overflows of water to the cellars on that street; and the effect, if any, of the tides from the Delaware river, and of the present culvert;—also, whether a tight and strong culvert in Dock street would be sufficient for the district drained by Dock street, with the cost thereof, and how far the evil complained of, may be remedied by a culvert down Walnut from the point of Dock street, together with the best mode of constructing the same, so as to do the least possible injury to the wharves and shipping, with an estimate of the cost of such construction.

Which was read, and laid on the table.

Adjourned.

THURSDAY, March 15th, 1849.

Council met—Present,

Messrs. Amos,
Christian,
Davis,
Derbyshire,
Fisher,
Gerhard,
Godley,
Hutchinson,
Lancaster,
Lennig,

Messrs. Lewis,
Mentz,
Orne,
Poulson,
Thomas,
Thompson,
Watt,
Wilcox,
Snowden, Prest.

The President

Laid before Council a communication from Wm. Hamilton, Actuary of the Franklin Institute, inviting Councils to visit the Hall of the Institute to view the Lantern for the new Light House, to be erected on the Brandywine Shoals.

Which was read and laid on the table.

Mr. Wilcox

Presented a Petition from “the Rector, Church Wardens, and Vestrymen of the Church of the Mediator,” asking that Schuylkill Fourth street from Lombard to Pine street, may be paved.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

Mr. Davis,

From the Committee on Finance made a Report, (Appendix No. 32,) with a Bill annexed, entitled “A Further Supplement to an Ordinance, entitled ‘An Ordinance for the construction and management of the Philadelphia Gas Works.’”

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Bill annexed to the Report.

The first section was agreed to.

The second section was agreed to.

The third section was agreed to,

The title was agreed to.

And the Bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then by special order read a third time and passed.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Poulson,

From the Committee on Police, made a Report, (Appendix No. 33,) with a Bill annexed, entitled "A Supplement to an Ordinance, entitled 'An Ordinance to establish a Night and Day Police, and to provide for the lighting of the public lamps in the City of Philadelphia,' passed the 16th of March, 1848."

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Bill annexed to the Report.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

And the Bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then by special order read a third time and passed.

Mr. Lewis,

From the Committee of Conference upon the subject of the amendments to the Bill, entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a Culvert in Walnut street," made a Report, (Appendix No. 34.)

Which was read and laid on the table.

Mr. Lewis

Moved that Council proceed to the second reading and consideration of the Resolution received from Select Council at last meeting, authorizing a topographical survey of the region of Dock street.

Which was agreed to.

The Resolution was then read a second time and passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Mr. Orne, on leave given,

Presented a communication from Presley B. O'Neil, resigning as a Director of the Public Schools.

Which was read and laid on the table.

A message from Select Council

Informed that they had passed the following:

Resolved, That Councils accept the invitation of the Managers of the Franklin Institute, and that they will after their adjournment this evening, proceed in a body to the Hall of the Franklin Institute, for the purpose of witnessing the exhibition of the Lantern intended for the Light House constructing on the Brandywine Shoals, in the Delaware Bay.

Which was read twice and passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had received a Report from the Committee on City Property, with a Resolution annexed, to wit :

Resolved, That in the event of the passage of an Act by the Legislature of Pennsylvania, authorizing the construction of a road to avoid the Inclined Plane, at Belmont, terminating on the west side of the river Schuylkill, so as to form a convenient connection with any railroad that may be constructed by the City of Philadelphia, crossing the river at such point as may be fixed on by the Councils of said City, not south of the

Permanent Bridge, then the City will at its own expese, caused a communication to be formed between such terminus and the City Road at Broad and Market streets.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Resolution annexed to the Report.

When the same was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had received a further Report from the same Committee, with a Bill annexed, entitled “An Ordinance to repeal the Ordinance to provide for the erection of a Market House in the south-western part of the City.”

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Bill annexed to the Report.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to, and

The Bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then, by special order, read the third time, and passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had passed the following preamble and resolution, to wit :

Whereas, The conduct of some of the Agents of the omnibus lines, stationed about the Exchange and Dock street, has been for a long time, of the most rude and improper kind: *And whereas*, complaints have been made to some members of Councils upon the subject; Therefore,

Resolved, That the subject be referred to the Committee on Police, with instructions to investigate the matter, and report to Councils what legislation is necessary to correct the evil complained of.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Resolution.

When the same was agreed to.

The Preamble was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

On motion,

It was ordered that Select Council be informed that Common Council is ready to receive them in their Chamber for the purpose of electing in Convention, eighteen Directors of the Public Schools, of the First Section First School District of Pennsylvania, to serve for three years, from the 30th of June next, and one Director to serve in the place, and for the unexpired time of Presley B. O'Neil, resigned.

After a short time the President, Clerk and Members of Select Council entered.

Councils being assembled in Convention, the President announced the object thereof.

And it was

Ordered, That the Convention do proceed to the election of eighteen Directors of the Public Schools, to serve for the term of three years from the 30th June next.

Mr. Elliott of the Select, and Mr. Mentz of the Common Council were appointed tellers, who reported that thirty votes had been received, of which,

Edward C. Biddle	had	30
Edward C. Markley	"	30
Arthur G. Coffin	"	30
Stephen Byerly	"	29

Samuel C. Sheppard	"	28
Samuel Ashmead	"	28
John Clayton	"	28
Charles A. Repplier	"	27
Henry McCall	"	26
William F. Pitfield	"	26
Richard R. Montgomery	"	25
Joseph R. Flanigen	"	20
Charles J. Stille	"	24
James Engle Negus	"	23
F. D. Sherman	"	22
George L. Harrison	"	22
John L. Linton	"	20
John L. Goddard	"	17
William Divine	"	17
John Bohlen, Jr.	"	17
Isaac Myer	"	13
William D. Parrish	"	7
Morgan Ash	"	7
Thomas E. Crowell	"	5
Presley B. O'Neil	"	4
James Rowland	"	3
Samuel Kelly,	"	1
Edward P. Borden	"	1
R. W. Dodson	"	1
J. Hollingsworth	"	1

Whereupon, E. C. Biddle, E. C. Markley, A. G. Coffin, S. Byerly, S. C. Sheppard, S. Ashmead, J. Clayton, C. A. Repplier, H. McCall, Wm. F. Pittfield, R. R. Montgomery, J. R. Flanigen, C. J. Stille, J. E. Negus, F. D. Sherman, G. L. Harrison, and J. L. Linton, were declared to be duly elected Directors of the Public Schools to serve for three years, from and after the last day of June next.

And it was

Ordered, That the Convention do proceed to the election of a School Director to serve for three years from the last day of June next.

The same tellers being appointed, reported that thirty votes had been received, of which,

William Divine	had	13
John Bohlen, Jr.	"	12
Isaac Myer	"	2
John L. Goddard	"	2
Samuel Kelly	"	1

There being no election, it was

Ordered, That the Convention do proceed to the second ballot.

When the tellers reported

That thirty votes had been received, of which

John Bohlen, Jr.	had	18
William Divine	"	10
S. Kelly	"	2

Whereupon John Bohlen, Jr., was declared to be duly elected a Director of the Public Schools, to serve for three years, from and after the last day of June next.

And it was

Ordered, That the Convention do now proceed to the election of a Director of the Public Schools, in the place, and for the unexpired time of Presley B. O'Neil, resigned.

The same tellers being appointed, reported that thirty votes had been received, of which

Joseph R. Flanigen	had	14
William F. Pitfield	"	9
William Divine	"	6
S. Kelly	"	1

There being no election, it was

Ordered, That the Convention do proceed to a second ballot, when the tellers reported, that

Joseph R. Flanigen	had	25
William F. Pitfield	“	3
William Divine	“	2

Whereupon, Joseph R. Flanigen was declared to be duly elected a Director of the Public Schools, in the place, and for the unexpired time of Presley B. O’Neil, resigned.

The Convention was then dissolved, and Select Council retired.

Adjourned.

THURSDAY, March 29, 1849.

Council met—Present,

Messrs. Amos,
Christian,
Davis,
Fisher,
Gemmill,
Gerhard,
Godley,
Hutchinson,
Lancaster,

Messrs. Lennig,
Mentz,
Orne,
Poulson,
Thomas,
Thompson,
Watt,
Wilcox,
Snowden, Prest.

Mr. Gerhard

Presented a petition asking that Schuylkill Second street, from Mulberry to Filbert street, may be paved.

Mr. Watt,

A petition from owners of property on, and in the vicinity of Cox street, extending from Schuylkill Fifth to Sixth street, asking that the name of said street may be changed.

Which were read, and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

The President

Laid before Council a communication from the Directors of the Public Schools, informing of a vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Charles J. Stille.

Which was read and laid on the table.

Also,

A communication from Samuel Hains, resigning his office of Principal City Surveyor and Regulator, to take effect upon the appointment of a person to supply the vacancy.

Which was read, and on motion of Mr. Poulson laid on the table.

Mr. Fisher,

From the Committee of Visitation to the Girard College for the months of February and March, made a report (Appendix No. 35.)

Which was read and laid on the table.

Mr. Poulson,

From the Committee on Police, made a report (Appendix No. 36,) with the following resolution annexed, to wit :

Resolved, That the memorial of occupants of Stalls in the Second street Market House, complaining of the occupancy of the side walks by persons who pay no rent, be referred to the Committee on City Property, and that the Committee on Police be discharged from the further consideration of the same.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution annexed to the report.

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Poulson,

From the same Committee, made a further report (Appendix No. 37,) in answer to the resolution instructing the Committee to inquire into the expediency of reducing the number of Police officers attached to the Mayor's office, with the following resolution annexed, to wit :

Resolved, That the Committee be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution annexed to the report.

And the question being—Will Council agree to the resolution?

The same was determined in the negative.

Mr. Godley,

From the Committee on Public Highways, made a report (Appendix No. 38,) with a bill annexed, entitled

“A further Supplement to an Ordinance, entitled ‘An Ordinance for the regulation of Cabs and Omnibuses,’” passed the 1st April, 1841.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the bill annexed to the report.

The first, second and third sections were agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

And it was

Ordered, That the bill be prepared for a third reading.

It was then by special order read a third time and passed.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Thompson

Offered the following :

Whereas, the First Lieutenant of Police having been suspended from his duty since September last, and whereas the Committee on Police having reported that it was essential to the interests of the City that that office be immediately filled,

Resolved, That the Committee on Police be requested to report to Councils the cause of the suspension of the Lieutenant of Police, and also the best mode of appointing a person to that office, if the present plan of appointment does not reach it.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading of the resolution.

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council non-concurred.

Mr. Davis

Offered the following :

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Girard Estate be directed to pay to Peter Fritz or order, the sum of two thousand and fifty-five dollars ninety-three cents, being the balance due him on his contract for furnishing marble tiles to the Girard College, the said sum still remaining to the credit of the appropriation for building the Girard College, having been retained to abide the event of a certain suit between Heebner & Co. against said Fritz.

Which was read twice and passed.

Select Council concurred.

A message from Select Council,

Informed that they had received a Communication from John F. Belsterling, relative to an application to the Orphan's Court, for the sale of certain property belonging to Charles Asendorph, an inmate of the Girard College.

And had referred the same to the Board of Directors of the Girard College for Orphans.

Which was read.

And on motion,

Common Council concurred in the reference.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had received a report from the Committee on City Property, and had passed a resolution thereto annexed, to wit :

Resolved, That the City Solicitor be hereby directed to take proper measures to cause a public street to be opened, which shall commence on the west side of Tenth street, at the distance of seventy feet southward from the south side of Lombard street, and run parallel with Lombard and Cedar streets, to the east side of Eleventh street, of the width of twenty feet: the said street to occupy eight feet of the ground belonging to the Corporation of the City of Philadelphia, and twelve feet of the ground belonging to the owners of the lots on the north side of Cedar, between Tenth and Eleventh streets: And that he be authorized to relinquish all claim for damages for the said property of said Corporation, so taken for said street.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution.

When the same was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had passed the following, to wit:

Resolved, That the Mayor be authorized to affix the city seal to the following described deeds and acknowledge the same as and for the act and deed of this Corporation.

1. Deed to Gracien Johnson for a lot situate on the west side of Tenth street, commencing at the distance of thirty-seven feet from the south side of Lombard street, and containing thirty-three feet in front on said Tenth street, and in depth ninety-one feet to a three feet wide alley, with the privilege thereof, bounded southward by a twenty feet wide street, intended to be laid out and opened for public use, and to extend from Tenth to Eleventh street—eastward by Tenth street, westward by the three feet wide alley aforesaid, to lead southward into the said twenty feet wide street, northward by other ground belonging to the City of

Philadelphia; upon the payment of the sum of two thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars.

2. Deed to Quintus C. Brown, for a lot situate at the southwest corner of Tenth and Lombard street, containing in front on said Tenth street, nineteen feet, and extending in depth, westwardly, on said Lombard street, ninety-four feet, subject to the payment of an annual rent or sum of \$104 50, to commence on the 1st July, 1849, payable half yearly, and redeemable at any time within ten years, upon the payment of the principal sum of one thousand seven hundred and forty-one and two-thirds dollars.

3. Deed to John McKee, for a lot of ground situate on the south side of Lombard street, at the distance of one hundred and twenty-six feet eastward from Eleventh street, containing in front on said Lombard street sixteen feet, and in length or depth seventy feet to a twenty feet wide street, intended to be laid out for public use, and to extend from Tenth to Eleventh street, subject to the payment of an annual rent or sum of fifty-six dollars to commence 1st of July, 1849, payable half yearly and redeemable at any time within ten years, upon the payment of the principal sum of nine hundred and thirty-three and one-third dollars.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration thereof.

When the same was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had passed the following, to wit:

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Highways be directed to examine the books, records and proceedings of the City Surveyors, and Regulators, and report thereon, and whether

any modification of the duties and regulations of said officers be desirable.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading thereof.

When the same was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Mr. Thomas

Moved that the Communication received from Samuel Hains, resigning the office of Principal City Surveyor and Regulator, be referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

Which was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Orne,

Offered the following:

Resolved, That the Assistant City Surveyor be authorized to act as Principal Surveyor, until a Principal is elected.

Which was read, and on motion, referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

Another message

Informed that Select Council was ready to meet Common Council in convention for the purpose of electing a Director of the Public Schools, for the First Section First School District of Pennsylvania, to supply the vacancy occasioned in the Board, until the 30th of June next, and from that time, for the ensuing three years, by the resignation of Charles J. Stille.

Which was read.

On motion,

It was ordered that Select Council be informed that Common Council is ready to receive them in their chamber.

After a short time the President, Clerk, and members of the Select Council entered.

Councils being assembled in Convention, the President announced the object thereof, and it was

Ordered, That Councils do proceed to the election of a Director of the Public Schools to supply the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Charles J. Stille, in the present Board, until the 30th June next, and for the full term of three years from that date.

Mr. Waterman of the Select and Mr. Wilcox of the Common Council, were appointed Tellers, who reported that twenty-eight votes had been received, of which

Joseph H. Hildeburn	had	21 votes.
William Divine,	“	5 “
William Hollingsworth,	“	2 “

Whereupon, Joseph H. Hildeburn was declared to be duly elected a Director of the Public Schools for the First Section, First School District of Pennsylvania, to serve for three years from the 30th day of June next, and for the term from this time until that day, to supply the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Charles J. Stille, resigned.

The convention was then dissolved, and the Select Council retired.

Adjourned.

THURSDAY, April 12, 1849.

Council met.—Present,

Messrs. Amos,
Christian,
Derbyshire,
Fisher,
Gemmil,
Gerhard,
Godley,
Hutchinson,
Lancaster,
Lennig,

Messrs. Lewis,
Mentz,
Orne,
Poulson,
Thomas,
Thompson,
Watt,
Wilcox,
Snowden, Prest.

Mr. Gerhard,

Presented a communication from Samuel H. Kneass, asking to be elected Principal City Surveyor and Regulator.

Mr. Lewis,

Communications of similar tenor from Messrs. M. T. W. Chandler, J. C. Sidney, Philip F. Snider, and F. C. Lowthorp.

Mr. Thomas,

One of similar tenor from John C. Trautwine.

Which were severally read and laid on the table.

Mr. Lewis,

From the Committee on Public Highways, to whom was referred the resignation of Samuel Hains, made a report, (Appendix No. 39,) with the following annexed :

Resolved, That Councils at their next stated meeting do proceed to the election of a Principal City Surveyor, in the place of Samuel Hains.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution annexed to the report.

And being under consideration,

Mr. Thomas

Moved to amend the same by striking out the word "stated," where it occurs in the same.

Which was agreed to.

The resolution as amended was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Poulson,

From the Committee on Police, made a report, (Appendix No. 40,) with a resolution annexed, to wit :

Resolved, That the Committee on Police be authorized and directed to pay to Alfred J. Heston, a night policeman, the sum of one hundred dollars in consideration of injuries received by him while in the service of the City, to be paid out of the appropriation to said Committee for miscellaneous expenses.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution annexed to the report.

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Lewis,

From the Committee on Public Highways, made a further report, (Appendix No. 41,) with two bills annexed, to wit :

"An Ordinance making an Appropriation to the Committee on Public Highways, for the purpose of repairing the pebble pavement of Delaware Avenue."

"An Ordinance to alter and establish the regulation of a part of Dock street."

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the first bill annexed to the report.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

And the bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then by special order read a third time and passed.

Select Council concurred.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the second bill annexed to the report.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

And the bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then by special order read a third time and passed.

Select Council concurred.

The President,

Laid before Council a Resolution of the Board of Commissioners of the District of Moyamensing, asking that water pipes may be laid in Cedar street, from Schuylkill Fifth to Eighth street.

Which was read and referred to the Watering Committee.

Also,

A petition of Citizens asking that Washington street on the west side of Washington square, may be repaved.

Also,

One for the repaving of Lawrence street, from Twelfth to Thirteenth street.

Mr. Godley,

One from residents of Chestnut from Second to Fourth street, and Third street from Dock to High street, asking that said squares may be paved with cubic blocks of stone.

Mr. Derbyshire,

One from owners and occupants of property on Delaware Avenue, asking that the same may be repaved.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

The President

Laid before Council a communication from the Washington Hose Company, nominating Engineers.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Legacies and Trusts.

Mr. Poulson

Offered the following :

Resolved, That the Mayor be, and he is hereby authorized, to offer a reward of five hundred dollars for the detection and conviction of the person who inflicted a wound on Alfred J. Heston, while in discharge of his duty as night policeman, at the corner of Chestnut and Beach streets, on the morning of the 2d of February last.

Which was read twice and passed.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Lewis

Offered the following :

Resolved, That the Clerks of Councils be, and they are hereby instructed, under the direction of a Joint Special Committee of two from each Council, to prepare and publish a new edition of the digest of the Ordinances of the Corporation, and Acts of Assembly relating thereto ; and the Committee on Finance are

hereby directed to make to the Clerks suitable compensation for the same.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the same.

And on the question—will Council agree to the resolution? The yeas and nays were required, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Amos, Christian, Derbyshire, Fisher, Godley, Lewis, Poulson, Thompson, Watt, Snowden, Pres't.—10.

NAYS—Messrs. Gemmill, Gerhard, Hutchinson, Lancaster, Lennig, Mentz, Orne, Thomas, Wilcox.—9.

So the question was determined in the affirmative.

The President,

Appointed Messrs. Lewis and Poulson the Committee on the part of Common Council.

A message from Select Council,

Informed that they had passed the following, to wit:

Resolved, That the Trustees of the Ice Boat be, and they are hereby authorized, to moor the Ice Boat at a pier in New Jersey during the coming season, if they shall deem it to be expedient.

Which was read twice, and passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Another message,

Informed that Select Council had received a report from the Commissioners of the Girard Estates, and had passed the following resolution thereto annexed, to wit:

Resolved, That the Board of Commissioners of the Girard Estates be authorized to compromise the claim made in a suit now pending in the District Court of the City and County of Philadelphia, in which Charles Penossi is plaintiff and the Exe-

cutors of Stephen Girard defendants, by the payment of the sum of one thousand six hundred dollars; the said sum to be taken from the amount appropriated to the said Board of Commissioners for Incidental Expenses.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution annexed to the report.

When the same was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Another message,

Informed that Select Council had received a report from the Watering Committee, and had passed the following resolution thereto annexed, to wit :

Resolved, That it is inexpedient to grant the prayer of the memorialists, and that the Committee be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution annexed to the report.

When the same was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had elected Jos. G. Clarkson, Esq., a Director of the Girard College, in the place of, and for the unexpired term of Charles Gilpin, Esq., resigned.

Which was read, and laid on the table.

Adjourned.

THURSDAY, April 26, 1849.

Council met.—Present,

Messrs. Amos,
Christian,
Davis,
Derbyshire,
Fisher,
Gemmill,
Godley,
Hutchinson,
Lancaster,

Messrs. Lennig,
Lewis,
Mentz,
Orne,
Poulson,
Thomas,
Watt,
Wilcox,
Snowden, Prest.

Mr. Fisher,

Presented a communication from George Haury, asking compensation for loss sustained by removal from his stand in the High street market.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on City Property.

Mr. Godley,

A petition from owners of property on Filbert street, between Schuylkill Second and Third streets, asking that the said street may be paved.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

Mr. Lewis,

A communication from A. C. Coyle asking to be appointed appraiser of tavern licenses.

The President

Laid before Council a communication from the Board of

Health, informing of the classification of the members of the Board elected by Councils, made in pursuance of the Act of the Legislature of April 5, 1849.

Also,

A communication from the Directors of the Public Schools, First Section First School District, informing of the resignation of Samuel C. Sheppard, Joseph H. Hildeburn, James McClin-tock and Thomas Drake.

Which were severally read, and laid on the table.

Also,

A petition asking for a gas lamp and flag-stone crossing at the corner of Schuylkill Second and Vine street.

Which was read, and

On motion of Mr. Poulson,

So much as relates to a gas lamp, was referred to the Committee on Police, and so much as relates to a flag-stone crossing, was referred to the Committee on public highways.

Also,

An invitation from Messrs. Huttman & Co., inviting Councils to view their newly invented "Fire Escape," now being exhibited at the Hall of the Franklin Institute.

Which was read, and laid on the table.

Mr. Poulson,

From the Committee on Police, made a report, (Appendix, No. 42,) with the following, annexed, to wit:

Resolved, That the Trustees of the Gas Works be, and they are hereby authorized to make such appropriation of money to the use of Rosanna Farren, widow of Michael Farren, who was recently killed while in the service of said Trustees, as they, the said Trustees, may deem just and equitable.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution,

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Poulson,

From the same Committee, made a further report (Appendix No. 43,) in answer to the memorial from the dealers and merchants in Water street, asking that Drays and Carts may be prohibited from standing in Water street, with a resolution thereto annexed, to wit:

Resolved, That the Committee be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution.

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Lewis,

From the Committee on Public Highways, made a report (Appendix No. 44,) with a bill annexed, entitled "An Ordinance relating to Water street."

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the bill.

The first section was agreed to.

The second section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to,—

And the bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then by special order read a third time and passed.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Lewis,

From the same Committee, made a further report (Appendix No. 45,) with the following resolutions annexed, to wit :

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Highways be instructed to pave Delaware Third street, from Dock street northward, to the north side of Chesnut street, with cubical blocks, and that the Committee be authorized to ask proposals for stone for the same.

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Highways be instructed to relay the railroad in Delaware Third street, from Dock street northward, to the north side of Chesnut street, with cast or wrought iron rails, and in such manner as they may deem most expedient.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the first resolution.

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the second resolution.

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Fisher,

From the Committee on Legacies and Trusts made a report (Appendix No. 46,) in answer to the petition referred to them in January last, asking that a few hundred feet of hose may be

placed in the vicinity of certain fire plugs, and had passed a resolution thereto annexed, to wit:

Resolved, That the Committee on Legacies and Trusts be discharged from the further consideration of this subject.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution annexed to the report

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Christian, on leave given,

Presented a petition of citizens, asking that the sewer in Mulberry street may be extended from Front to Bread street.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

Mr. Fisher, in his place,

Offered a bill (Appendix No. 47,) entitled "A further supplement to an Ordinance, entitled 'An Ordinance to provide for the opening of the Girard College for Orphans,' passed September 16th, 1847."

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading of the bill.

The first and only section being under consideration.

Mr. Davis

Made a motion that the further consideration of the section together with the bill be postponed, and that the same be referred to the Commissioners of the Girard Estates.

Which was not agreed to.

The section being again under consideration,

Mr. Fisher

Made a motion, that the further consideration of the section, together with the bill, be postponed for the present, and that the same be printed for the use of members.

Which was agreed to.

A message from Select Council,

Informed that they had passed the following resolution, to wit :

Resolved, That a Joint Special Committee of three members of each Council be appointed, to inquire whether any legislation is necessary, in regard to the depth of graves within the city limits.

Also, whether it is expedient to prohibit interments of deceased persons from being made, after a future time, within the said limits, or any particular parts thereof, and report by bill or otherwise.

And had appointed Messrs. Tyson, Waterman and Souder, the Committee on the part of Select Council.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution.

When the same was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

The President,

Appointed Messrs. Poulson, Derbyshire and Lennig, the Committee on the part of Common Council.

Another message,

Informed that Select Council had received a report, from

the Commissioners of the Girard Estates, with a Bill annexed, entitled "An Ordinance making an appropriation to the Board of Commissioners of the Girard Estates for the use of the Directors of the Girard College for Orphans."

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Bill annexed to the report.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to, and

The bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then read the third time, and passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Another message,

Informed that Select Council had received a report from the Committee on City Property, with a Bill annexed, entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of certain Wharves."

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the bill annexed to the report.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

And the Bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then by special order, read a third time and passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Another message,

Informed that Select Council had passed the following, to wit :

Resolved, That the Mayor be authorized to affix the City Seal to the following described deed, and acknowledge the same as and for the act and deed of this Corporation, viz : Deed from The Mayor, Aldermen and Citizens of Philadelphia, to William Dougherty, for a lot of ground situate on the south side of Lombard street, in the City of Philadelphia, at the distance of ninety-four feet from the west side of Tenth street, containing in front on the said Lombard street, sixteen feet, and in length or depth seventy feet, to a twenty feet wide street, intended to be laid out for public use, and to extend from Tenth to Eleventh street, subject to the payment of an annual rent or sum of fifty-six dollars, to commence 1st July, 1849, payable half-yearly, and redeemable at any time within ten years, upon the payment of the principal sum of nine hundred and thirty-three and one-third dollars.

Which was twice read, and passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had passed the following :

Resolved, That Councils will meet on Monday, May 7th, at 8 o'clock in the evening, to elect an Appraiser of Tavern Licenses, in conformity to the Act of Assembly passed at the last session of the Legislature.

Which was twice read, and passed.

So Common Council concurred.

On motion, it was

Ordered, That Select Council be informed that Common Council is ready to receive them in their Chamber, for the purpose of electing in Convention a Principal City Surveyor and

Regulator, in the place of Samuel Hains resigned, also to elect four Directors of the Public Schools, to fill the vacancies occasioned by the resignations of S. C. Sheppard, J. H. Hildeburn, J. McClintock and Thomas Drake.

After a short time the President, Clerk and Members of Select Council entered.

Councils being assembled in convention, the President announced the object thereof.

And it was

Ordered, That the Convention do proceed to the election of a Principal City Surveyor and Regulator, to supply the place of Samuel Hains, resigned.

When, of the Select Council,

Messrs. Boswell, Elliott, Hagert, Morris, Roberts, Souder, Trucks, Waterman, Gilpin, Pres't. (9) voted for Samuel H. Kneass.

Of the Common Council,

Messrs. Amos, Christian, Davis, Derbyshire, Fisher, Gemmill, Godley, Hutchinson, Lancaster, Lewis, Lennig, Mentz, Orne, Poulson, Thomas, Watt, Wilcox, Snowden, (Pres't. (18) voted for Samuel H. Kneass.

Whereupon, SAMUEL H. KNEASS, having received 27 votes, was declared to be elected Principal City Surveyor and Regulator, in the place and for the unexpired time of Samuel Hains, resigned.

On motion, it was

Ordered, That the Convention do now proceed to the election of two Directors of the Public Schools, to supply the vacancies occasioned by the resignations of Samuel C. Sheppard and Joseph H. Hildeburn.

Mr. Elliott of the Select, and Mr. Wilcox of the Common

Council, were appointed Tellers—who reported that twenty-six votes had been received, of which

John McCawley had	16 votes,
Alexander Fullerton	14 “
E. E. Smith	11 “
J. K. Mason	4 “
D. B. Hinman	4 “
W. W. Hollingsworth	3 “

Whereupon, John McCawley and Alexander Fullerton were declared to be duly elected Directors of the Public Schools, First Section First School District, for the term of three years from the 30th of June next.

And it was

Ordered, That the Convention do proceed to the election of two Directors of the Public Schools, to supply the vacancies occasioned by the resignations of James McClintock and Thos. Drake.

The same tellers were appointed, who reported that twenty-six votes had been received, of which

E. E. Smith	had 22 votes,
D. B. Hinman	9 “
J. K. Mason	8 “
W. W. Hollingsworth	7 “
Robert Piersol	2 “
Jas. Rowland	1 vote,
Isaac Myer	1 “
Alexander Fullerton	1 “
Dr. Stille	1 “

Whereupon, E. E. Smith was declared to be duly elected a Director of the Public Schools, First Section First School District, to serve from this time until the 30th of June, 1850.

And it was

Ordered, That the Convention do proceed to a second ballot for a Director of the Public Schools.

The same tellers being appointed, reported that twenty-five votes had been received, of which

D. B. Hinman	had 17 votes,
W. W. Hollingsworth	5 “
J. K. Mason	3 “

Whereupon, D. B. Hinman was declared to be duly elected a Director of the Public Schools, First Section First School District, to serve from this time until the 30th of June, 1850.

The Convention was then dissolved, and the Select Council retired.

Adjourned.

MONDAY, May 7th, 1849.

Council met.—Present,

Messrs. Amos,
Christian,
Davis,
Derbyshire,
Fisher,
Gemmill,
Gerhard,
Godley,
Hutchinson,

Messrs. Lancaster,
Lennig,
Mentz,
Orne,
Poulson,
Thomas,
Watt,
Wilcox,
Snowden, Pres't.

Mr. Gerhard,

Presented a communication from John Reynolds, asking to be elected Appraiser of Tavern Licenses.

Also,

One from James Simpson, of similar tenor.

Mr. Gemmill,

One from William Johnston, of similar tenor.

The President,

One from John Caldwell, of similar tenor.

Which were severally read and laid on the table.

On motion, it was

Ordered, That Select Council be informed that Common Council is ready to receive them in their Chamber for the purpose of electing in Convention an Appraiser of Tavern Licenses, in accordance with an Act of the Legislature passed at the last session.

After a short time, the President, Clerk, and Members of Select Council entered.

Councils being assembled in Convention, the President announced the object thereof.

And it was ordered that the Convention do proceed to the election of an Appraiser of Tavern Licenses.

When of the Select Council,

Messrs. Boswell, Elliott, Hagert, Morris, Souder, Trucks, Tyson, Waterman, Wetherill—9, voted for John Caldwell; Mr. Gilpin, President—1, voted for John Reynolds.

Of the Common Council,

Messrs. Amos, Christian, Davis, Derbyshire, Gémill, Gerhard, Godley, Hutchinson, Lancaster, Lennig, Mentz, Orne, Poulson, Watt, Wilcox, Snowden, Pres't—16, voted for John Caldwell; Mr. Fisher—1, voted for James Simpson.

Whereupon, John Caldwell having received twenty-five votes, was declared to be duly elected Appraiser of Tavern Licenses for the ensuing year.

The Convention was then dissolved, and the Select Council retired.

Adjourned.

THURSDAY, May 10, 1849.

Council met.—Present,

Messrs. Amos,
Christian,
Davis,
Derbyshire,
Fisher,
Gemmill,
Gerhard,
Godley,
Hutchinson,
Lancaster,

Messrs. Lennig,
Lewis,
Mentz,
Orne,
Poulson,
Thomas,
Watt,
Wilcox,
Snowden, Prest.

Mr. Watt,

Presented a petition from the owners of property on Carbon street, asking that the said street may be regulated and paved.

Mr. Fisher,

A communication from Henry J. Rodgers, on behalf of the North American Telegraph Company, asking permission to erect posts along the streets of the City, and to conduct the wires across the Schuylkill by means of the Permanent Bridge.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

Mr. Gerhard,

A communication from J. C. Sidney, asking Councils to increase their subscription for his large map of the City of Philadelphia, and adjoining Districts.

Which was read, and laid on the table.

Mr. Lewis

From the Committee on Public Highways, made a report, (Appendix, No. 48,) with the following resolution annexed, to wit:

Resolved, That the City Commissioners, under the direction

of the Committee on Public Highways, be directed to regulate, curb, and pave the following streets, viz :

Summer street, between Schuylkill Second and Third streets.

Spring street.

Shallcross street.

Filbert street, from Schuylkill Second to Third street.

Schuylkill Second street, from Filbert to Mulberry street.

“ Third street, from High to Chestnut street.

“ Fourth street, from High to Mulberry street.

Rittenhouse Square, south side.

Plymouth street.

Lammon street.

Burton street, west from Schuylkill Eighth, below Lombard.

Wilcox street.

Locust street, from Ashton to Beach street.

Ashton street, from Lombard, south seventy-five feet.

Elm street, between Schuylkill Third and Fourth, and Pine and Lombard streets.

And that they be directed to repave the following streets :

Delaware Eighth street, from Mulberry to Cherry street.

Oat street, from Sassafras to Vine street.

Paper alley, from Summit to Broad street.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution annexed to the report.

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Davis,

From the Committee on Finance, made a report, (Appendix, No. 49,) with a Bill annexed, entitled “An Ordinance to fix the salary of the Commissioner of City Property.”

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Bill annexed to the report.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

And the Bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then, by special order, read a third time and passed.

Select Council concurred.

A message from Select Council,

Informed that they were ready to meet in Convention, for the purpose of electing two members of the Board of Guardians of the Poor.

On motion,

It was ordered that Select Council be informed that Common Council is ready to receive them in their chamber for the purpose of proceeding to an election.

After a short time, the President, Clerk, and Members of Select Council entered.

Councils being assembled in Convention, the President announced the object thereof, and it was

Ordered, That the Convention do proceed to the election of two members of the Board of Guardians of the Poor, to serve for three years next ensuing.

Mr. Hagert, of the Select, and Mr. Watt, of the Common Council, were appointed Tellers—who reported that twenty-nine votes had been received, of which

Samuel S. Kelly	had 18 votes,
Thomas J. Potts	13 “
John Price Wetherill	12 “
Wm. L. Ward	5 “
Thomas G. Connor	2 “

Whereupon, Samuel S. Kelly was declared to be duly elected a member of the Board of Guardians of the Poor for the ensuing three years.

And it was

Ordered, That the Convention do proceed to a second ballot for a Guardian of the Poor.

The same Tellers being appointed, reported that twenty-nine votes had been received, of which

John Price Wetherill	had 12 votes,
Wm. L. Ward	11 “
Thomas J. Potts	6 “

There being no election, it was

Ordered, That the Convention do proceed to a third ballot.

The same Tellers being appointed, reported that twenty-eight votes had been received, of which

Wm. L. Ward	had 12 votes,
Thomas J. Potts	10 “
John Price Wetherill	6 “

There being no election, it was

Ordered, That the Convention do proceed to a fourth ballot.

The same Tellers being appointed, reported that thirty votes had been received, of which

Wm. L. Ward	had 12 votes,
Thomas J. Potts	10 “
John Price Wetherill	7 “
Thomas Birch, Jr.	1 “

There being no election, it was

Ordered, That the Convention do proceed to a fifth ballot.

The same Tellers being appointed, reported that twenty-nine votes had been received, of which

Thomas J. Potts	had 16 votes,
John Price Wetherill	6 “
Wm. L. Ward	6 “
T. G. Connor	1 “

Whereupon, Thomas J. Potts was declared to be duly elected a member of the Board of Guardians of the Poor for the ensuing three years.

The Convention was then dissolved, and the Select Council retired.

A message from Select Council,

Informed that they had passed the following :

Resolved, That the Committee on City Property be authorized to subscribe for ten copies of Sidney's map of the City of Philadelphia, and the surrounding Districts.

Which was read,

And being under consideration,

Mr. Amos,

Moved to amend the same by inserting the word "additional" after the word "ten," where it appears in the same.

Which was not agreed to.

The resolution being again under consideration,

On agreeing to the same the Yeas and Nays were required, and were as follows, to wit :

YEAS—Messrs. Amos, Christian, Godley, Lewis, Poulson, Watt, Wilcox, Snowden, Pres't.—8.

NAYS—Messrs. Davis, Derbyshire, Fisher, Gemmill, Gerhard, Hutchinson, Lancaster, Lennig, Mentz, Orne, Thomas.—11.

So the resolution was not agreed to.

So Common Council non-concurred.

Adjourned.

SATURDAY, May 19, 1849.

Council met.—Present,

Messrs. Christian,
Davis,
Derbyshire,
Fisher,
Gemmill,
Gerhard,
Godley,
Hutchinson,
Lancaster,

Messrs. Lewis,
Lennig,
Mentz,
Orne,
Poulson,
Thompson,
Wilcox,
Snowden, Pres't.

The President stated the object of the meeting, and on motion it was

Ordered, That Select Council be informed that Common Council is ready to receive them in their Chamber for the purpose of proceeding in a body to pay their respects to his Excellency, Wm. F. Johnston, Governor of the Commonwealth.

After a short time the President, Clerk, and Members of Select Council entered.

Councils being assembled,

On motion it was

Ordered, that a Committee of two be appointed to wait on the Mayor of the City, and invite him to accompany Councils on their visit to the Governor.

Mr. Trucks of the Select, and Mr. Lennig of the Common Council were appointed on this Committee.

On motion it was

Ordered, that a Committee of two be appointed to wait upon the Recorder of the City, and invite him to accompany the Councils on their visit to the Governor.

Mr. Souder of the Select, and Mr. Thompson of the Common Council were appointed on this Committee.

After some time the Committee appointed to wait on the Mayor returned, and reported that official business would prevent his accompanying Councils on their visit to the Governor.

The Committee appointed to wait on the Recorder returned with and introduced the Recorder, when the Select and Common Councils, accompanied by him, proceeded to pay their respects to the Governor of the Commonwealth.

Adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, May 23, 1849.

3 o'clock, P. M.

The Select and Common Council met, and proceeded, in pursuance of an invitation from the President of the "Atlantic Steam Navigation Company," to visit, accompanied by Wm. F. Johnston, Governor of the Commonwealth, the new Steamship now being constructed for said company at Kensington.

After which they returned and

Adjourned.

THURSDAY, May 24, 1849.

Council met.—Present,

Messrs. Amos,
Christian,
Davis,
Derbyshire,
Fisher,
Gemmell,
Gerhard,
Godley,
Hutchinson,
Lancaster,

Messrs. Lennig,
Lewis,
Mentz,
Orne,
Poulson,
Thomas,
Thompson,
Watt,
Wilcox,
Snowden, Pres't.

The President

Laid before Council a Communication from the Washington Hose Company, asking that an appropriation may be made in aid of said Company.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Legacies and Trusts.

Mr. Poulson

Moved that the Committee on Legacies and Trusts have power to act on the Communication from the Washington Hose Company.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Christian

Presented a petition of citizens, asking that the horses belonging to the market carts on the stand in Lombard Street, between Front and Second Street, may be removed.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Police.

Mr. Lewis

One from owners and occupants of property on Water Street, asking that a Culvert may be made in Centre Alley, between High and Chestnut Streets.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

The President

Laid before Council a Communication from the Board of Health, enclosing a resolution of the Board, recommending that the gutters of the City be washed and brushed daily during the warm weather.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Cleansing.

Also,

A further Communication from the same body, informing of the resignation of Joseph M. Thomas as a member of the Board.

Also,

A Communication from Alexander Fullerton, resigning as a Director of the Public Schools.

Also,

A Communication from Adam Traquair, asking to be re-elected President of the Board of City Commissioners.

Which were severally read and laid on the table.

Mr. Lewis,

From the Committee on Public Highways, made a Report, (*Appendix No. 50.*) with a Bill annexed, entitled, "A further Supplement to an Ordinance, entitled, 'An Ordinance for the Regulation of Cabs and Omnibuses,' passed the 1st April, 1841."

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Bill annexed to the Report.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

And the Bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then, by special order, read a third time and passed.

Select Council concurred.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further Report, (*Appendix No. 51,*) with a Bill annexed, entitled, "An ordinance to authorize the construction of certain Culverts."

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Bill annexed to the Report.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to,

And the Bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then, by special order, read a third time and passed.

Select Council concurred.

Also,

From the same Committee a further Report, (*Appendix No. 52,*) with the following Resolution annexed, to wit :

Resolved, That the North American Telegraph Company be authorized to run their wires across and along the piers of the Permanent Bridge at High Street, thence along the south side of High Street to the west side of Delaware Third Street, thence along the west side of Delaware Third Street as far south of Chestnut Street as may be necessary for their accommodation ; and also to run a line of wires along the east side of Delaware Third Street, from Chestnut Street to the north side of Vine Street. That the posts shall be dressed smooth, like a spar or mast, painted, and shall be not less than ten inches in diameter at the base, and not less than five inches in diameter at the top ; they shall be not less than twenty-five feet high, and as nearly as practicable be placed one hundred and fifty feet apart. That the poles now placed on the said routes, as far as they shall conform to the foregoing directions, shall be for the joint use of the companies now using them and the said North American Telegraph Company ; and, so far as they shall not comply with the foregoing regulations, new posts shall be placed by the said North American Telegraph Company, for the joint

use of themselves and of the aforesaid companies : the said posts to be so arranged as to conform throughout, as nearly as practicable, to the foregoing regulations : *Provided always*, That the Councils reserve the right to alter, amend or rescind this resolution, and the license hereby granted, as the interests of the city may require.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Resolution annexed to the Report.

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Gerhard

Offered the following :

Resolved, That until the 1st day of October next, the Committee on Cleansing shall be enlarged by the addition of all the members of both Councils, and that the city shall be divided by that committee into thirty-one districts : that one of the said districts shall be assigned to each member of the said committee, whose duty it shall be, if practicable, to visit at least three times a week each part of his district, and make weekly reports of his inspection to the committee.

Resolved, That the Mayor be, and he is hereby requested to direct the police of the city to obey the orders and directions of the said members of the said cleansing committee in relation to their respective districts, appertaining to the cleansing thereof, provided that no such order or direction shall infringe upon any orders or directions of the Mayor.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the same.

The first resolution was agreed to.

The second resolution was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Fisher

Moved that Select Council be informed that Common Council is ready to receive them in their Chamber for the purpose of electing in convention a President of the Board of City Commissioners, a Director of the Public Schools, in the place of Alexander Fullerton, resigned, and a member of the Board of Health, in the place of Joseph M. Thomas, resigned.

Which was agreed to.

After a short time the President, Clerk, and Members of Select Council entered.

Councils being assembled in Convention, the President announced the object thereof.

And it was

Ordered, That the Convention do proceed to the election of a President of the Board of City Commissioners.

When, of the Select Council,

Messrs. Elliott, Hagert, Morris, Roberts, Souder, Trucks, Waterman, Wetherill, Gilpin, Pres't,—9, voted for Adam Traquair.

Of the Common Council,

Messrs. Amos, Christian, Davis, Derbyshire, Fisher, Gemmill, Gerhard, Godley, Hutchinson, Lancaster, Lennig, Lewis, Mentz, Orne, Poulson, Thomas, Thompson, Watt, Wilcox, Snowden, Pres't,—20, voted for Adam Traquair.

Whereupon Adam Traquair, having received twenty-nine votes, was declared to be elected President of the Board of City Commissioners for the ensuing year.

On motion it was

Ordered, That the Convention do proceed to the election of a Director of the Public Schools.

Mr. Roberts of the Select, and Mr. Amos of the Common Council were appointed tellers, who, having collected and

counted the votes, reported that 29 votes had been received, of which

P. B. Mingle	had 22 votes,
Jas. Rowland	“ 5 “
Geo. McMahon	“ 2 “

Whereupon P. B. Mingle, having received a majority of the votes, was declared to be duly elected a Director of the Public Schools, to serve for three years.

On motion it was

Ordered, That the Convention do proceed to the election of a member of the Board of Health, in the place of, and for the unexpired time of Joseph M. Thomas, resigned.

The same tellers acting, reported that 29 votes had been received, of which

E. C. Markley	had 16 votes,
J. H. Irvin	“ 12 “
Geo. T. Thorn	“ 1 “

Whereupon Edward C. Markley, having received a majority of the votes, was declared to be elected a member of the Board of Health, in the place of, and for the unexpired time of Joseph M. Thomas, resigned.

The Convention was then dissolved, and Select Council retired.

A message from Select Council

Informed that they had received a communication from the President of the Board of Directors of the Girard College, informing of the resignation of the President of that institution.

Which was read and laid on the table.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had passed a Bill, entitled, “An Ordinance to fix the Salary of the President of the Girard College.”

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Bill.

The first and only section being under consideration,

Mr. Gerhard

Moved to amend the same by striking out all after the enacting clause, and inserting the following in lieu thereof, to wit:

“That from and after the passage hereof, the election of President of the Girard College for Orphans by the Directors thereof shall not be considered to be made until Councils shall, in joint meeting, approve of the choice made by said Directors; and it shall be the duty of the said Directors, immediately after making choice of a President of said College, to report the name of the individual so chosen to the Select and Common Councils, and said Councils shall, at their next stated meeting thereafter, in joint meeting, by ballot, approve of or dissent from such choice; and if said Councils approve of such choice, the individual so chosen as aforesaid shall be the President of said College; and if said Councils dissent thereto, the Clerks of Councils shall notify the fact of such dissent to the said Directors, who shall immediately proceed to the choice of another person for said office.

Which being under consideration,

Mr. Poulson

Moved to amend the amendment by adding after the word “President,” when it appears in the same, the words “Steward and Matron.”

On agreeing to which the yeas and nays were required, and were as follows, viz.:

Yeas.—Messrs. Amos, Christian, Gemmill, Lennig, Poulson, Watt,—6.

Nays.—Messrs. Davis, Derbyshire, Fisher, Gerhard, Godley, Hutchinson, Lancaster, Lewis, Mentz, Orne, Thomas, Thompson, Wilcox, Snowden, Pres’t,—14.

So the amendment to the amendment was not agreed to.

The question recurring on the amendment,

The yeas and nays were required, and were as follows, to wit :

Yeas.—Messrs. Amos, Christian, Davis, Fisher, Gemmill, Gerhard, Lancaster, Lennig, Mentz, Poulson, Thompson, Watt, Wilcox, Snowden, Pres't,—14.

Nays.—Messrs. Derbyshire, Godley, Hutchinson, Lewis, Orne, Thomas,—6.

So the amendment was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title being under consideration,

Mr. Gerhard

Moved to amend the same by inserting the following in lieu thereof, to wit, “ A Supplement to an Ordinance, entitled, ‘ An Ordinance to provide for the opening of the Girard College for Orphans.’ ”

Which was agreed to.

The title, as amended, was agreed to,

And the Bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then, by special order, read a third time and passed.

So Common Council concurred with amendments.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had received a Report from the Committee on City Property, and had passed a Bill thereto annexed, entitled, “ An Ordinance to prevent the running of Dogs at large in the Market Houses and Public Squares.”

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Bill annexed to the Report.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to,

And the Bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then, by special order, read a third time and passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Mr. Christian

Moved that Council proceed to the election of a Trustee of the City Ice Boat, to serve for three years.

Which was agreed to.

The President

Appointed Messrs. Fisher and Christian tellers,

Who, having collected and counted the votes, reported that 19 votes had been received, of which

William Cummings had 18 votes,

Morris Waln " 1

Whereupon William Cummings was declared to be elected a Trustee of the City Ice Boat, to serve for three years.

A message from Select Council

Informed that they non-concurred in the amendments made by Common Council to the Bill, entitled, "An Ordinance to fix the salary of the President of the Girard College."

Which was read and laid on the table.

Adjourned.

THURSDAY, June 7, 1849.

Council met.—Present,

Messrs. Amos,
Christian,
Davis,
Derbyshire,
Fisher,
Gemmill,
Gerhard,
Godley,
Lancaster,
Lennig,

Messrs. Lewis,
Mentz,
Orne,
Poulson,
Thomas,
Thompson,
Watt,
Wilcox,
Snowden, Pres't.

Mr. Lewis

Presented a remonstrance from the Telegraph Companies now in operation, against the granting the use of their poles to the North American Telegraph Company.

Which was read and laid on the table.

Mr. Gerhard

A petition from the owners of property on Schuylkill Second street, between Mulberry and Race streets, asking that the said street may be paved, and the conduit pipes for the Schuylkill water, laid.

Which was read, and referred to the Watering Committee.

Mr. Lewis

A communication from the General Superintendent of the North American Telegraph Company, asking that the Company may be permitted to erect their posts on a route, and under an arrangement different from that established by the resolutions passed by Councils on the 24th of May last.

Which was read, and laid on the table.

Mr. Fisher

Presented a petition of citizens, asking that an appropria-

tion may be made for the display of Fire Works on the ensuing Fourth of July.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Police.

The President

Laid before Council a communication from the Board of Health, accompanied with resolutions passed by the Board, condemnatory of the practice of watering the streets, and asking that it may be prohibited by Ordinance.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Cleansing the City.

Also,

A communication from Thomas H. White, on behalf of the owners and the representatives of owners of property bounding on Prior's court, between Spruce and Locust and Ninth and Tenth streets, asking that the pavement of the said court may be repaired.

Also,

A petition asking that Farmer street may be repaved.

Also,

A petition of the owners and occupants of property in the vicinity of High street, between Ashton and Beach streets, asking that the south side of the said High street may be curbed and paved.

Which were severally read, and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

Mr. Poulson

A petition of owners and occupants of property in the western section of the City, asking that the members of the Good Will Engine Company may be permitted to ring their alarm bell upon the occurrence of fires, between the hours of 10 P. M. and 6 A. M.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Police.

Mr. Lewis

From the Committee on Public Highways, made a report,

(*Appendix, No. 53,*) with the following resolution annexed, to wit:

Resolved, That the City Commissioners be directed to notify the owners of property thereon to pave and curb the following private alleys and courts, viz:

Wiley's court, running south from Castle street, below Eleventh street.

Alley running east from Delaware Sixth street, between Lombard and Pine.

Alley running west from No. 66 south Delaware Fifth street.

Bird's court, south of Locust and west of Tenth street.

Alley running from Schuylkill Third to Fourth street, south of George street.

Brooks' court, runs west from Delaware Front street, north of Sassafras street.

Pemberton alley, runs south from Vine street, between Delaware Second and Third streets.

Randolph court, runs west from Delaware Second street, north of Sassafras street.

Alley into property No. 69, north side of Sassafras street, between Delaware Second and Third streets.

Branner's alley, west from Delaware Fifth street, running from Vine street to Mulberry alley.

Pennsylvania avenue, running from Vine street to Mulberry alley, west from Delaware Fifth street.

Clawges' court, adjoining or next west of Pennsylvania avenue, running north from Mulberry alley.

Mayland street, between Delaware Fifth and Sixth, and Mulberry alley and Sassafras street.

Starr alley, between Delaware Fifth and Sixth, and between Sassafras street and Cresson's alley.

Raspberry alley, between Delaware Eighth and Ninth, and between Cherry and Sassafras streets.

Mechanics street, between Chester and Ninth and Maple and Vine street.

Elder street, running north from Castle street, between Tenth and Eleventh street.

Walnut alley, between Sassafras and Cherry, and between Juniper and Thirteenth streets.

White Horse alley, or Brown street, between Cherry street and Walnut alley, and between Juniper and Thirteenth streets.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution annexed to the report.

When the same was agreed to.

Mr. Lewis

Offered the following, to wit :

Resolved, That the North American Telegraph Company be authorized, in lieu of the route designated by a resolution passed 24th May, 1849, to conduct their wires through the City of Philadelphia, and across the Permanent Bridge, and for this object to erect poles along the following route, viz: "To commence in the rear of the third house west of Third street, thence into Hudson's alley, thence in Harmony place to Fourth street, and Fourth to Library street, along Library street to Fifth street, to Independence Square, and across it to Sansom street at Sixth street; along Sansom street to George and Eighth streets, and along George to Schuylkill Front street; along Schuylkill Front to High street; along High street to the Permanent Bridge, and across the same." The said poles to be neatly dressed and painted, to be of sufficient strength, and securely fixed in the ground; and in crossing the Permanent Bridge to make use of the piers for the support of their wires, or such other means as may be necessary for their purpose, without interference with the public convenience. The laying of the wires and the erection of the poles to be under the superintendence of the City Commissioners.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the same.

And being under consideration,

Mr. Derbyshire

Moved to amend the same by adding at the end thereof the following, to wit :

Provided always, That the Councils reserve the right to alter, amend or rescind this resolution, and the license hereby granted, as the interests of the City may require.

Which was agreed to.

The resolution as amended was agreed to.

Mr. Davis

Moved that Council proceed to the election of two members of the Board of Directors of the Girard College for Orphans, to serve for four years.

Which was agreed to.

The President appointed Messrs. Davis and Gemmill, Tellers.

Who having collected and counted the votes reported that eighteen votes had been received, of which

Mordecai L. Dawson had	18
John Wiegand “	18

Whereupon Mordecai L. Dawson and John Wiegand were declared to be duly elected members of the Board of Directors of the Girard College for Orphans, to serve for four years.

Mr. Thomas

Offered the following :

Resolved, That the Committee on Police be requested to adopt such regulations as they may deem expedient, in order to enforce the Act of Assembly prohibiting the sale of Oysters between the 10th day of May and the 1st day of September.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution.

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Gerhard

Offered the following,

Resolved, That the signatures of five members to the reports of the Committees on cleansing, shall be deemed sufficient to authorize the presenting the same to Councils.

Which was read twice, and passed.

Select Council non-concurred.

Mr. Gerhard

Moved that Common Council adhere to their amendments to the Bill, entitled, “An Ordinance to fix the salary of the President of Girard College,” and that a Committee of Conference be appointed.

Which was agreed to.

The President

Appointed Messrs. Gerhard, Davis, and Poulson, the Committee on the part of Common Council.

Select Council concurred in the appointment of a Committee, and appointed Messrs. Souder, Truck, and Morris, a Committee on the part of Select Council.

The Committee, on leave, retired, and after some time returned; when Mr. Gerhard made report, (*Appendix*, No. 54.)

Which was read.

And the question being—Will Council approve of the report of the Committee?

The yeas and nays were ordered, and were as follows, to wit:

Yeas.—Messrs. Amos, Davis, Gemmill, Gerhard, Godley, Lancaster, Poulson, Snowden, Pres’t.—8.

Nays.—Messrs. Derbyshire, Fisher, Lennig, Mentz, Orne, Thomas, Thompson, Wilcox,—8.

So the question was determined in the negative, and the report not approved.

A message from Select Council

Informed that they had received a report from the Commit-

tee on Vistation of the Girard College for Orphans, for the months of April and May, and transmitted the same for information.

Which was read and laid on the table.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had received a report from the Committee on Cleansing, with two bills and three resolutions annexed, to wit :

“ An Ordinance for the suppression of Nuisances.”

“ An Ordinance making an appropriation to the Committee on Cleansing.”

Resolved, That the City Commissioners be directed to have the public passages, ways or steps, in the City, between Front and Water streets, forthwith cleansed, purified, and closed.

Resolved, That the citizens be, and they are hereby advised to discontinue the use of wash pavements for the present.

Resolved, That the Mayor be requested to publish in one or more of the public newspapers, the present respective blocks of the day policemen, and that the High Constables and Captains of the night police shall, besides their present reports, report daily, in writing, to the members of Councils respectively, all nuisances or matters prejudicial to health or cleanliness, or offences against any laws or ordinances appertaining to health or cleanliness, in their respective districts, stating the particulars thereof, and whether ascertained by such High Constable or Captain, or by which of the policemen of his district, together with the action had in each of such cases.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the first Bill annexed to the report, entitled, “ An Ordinance for the suppression of Nuisances.”

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to, and

The bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then, by special order, read the third time and passed.

So Common Council concurred.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the second Bill annexed to the report, entitled, "An Ordinance making an appropriation to the Committee on Cleansing."

The first, second, third and fourth sections were agreed to.

The title was agreed to, and

The bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then, by special order, read the third time and passed.

So Common Council concurred.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolutions annexed to the report.

When the same were severally read and agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had concurred in the resolution from Common Council, relative to the North American Telegraph Company, with the following amendment, to wit:

Insert after the word "Commissioners," in the 20th line, the words, "Under the direction of the Committee on Public Highways."

Which was read.

And on motion,

Common Council concurred in the amendment of Select Council.

Mr. Thompson

Offered the following:

Resolved, That the Committee on Highways be requested to inquire into the expediency of reporting an Ordinance to require builders to erect a guard scaffold, or shed, over the foot pavements in front of all houses which may be in process of repair or building, for protecting passengers from falling materials: and

also to require that no building materials shall be placed within eighteen inches of the curbstone.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution.

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

A message from Select Council

Informed that they had concurred in the resolution relative to the paving and curbing of certain streets with an amendment, to wit:

Add at the end thereof, the following, to wit:

“ Alley north of Spruce, running from Dean to Thirteenth st. Alley running from Ton alley southward, and thence eastward to Delaware avenue.

Eagle court, running west from Bird’s court, and thence northward to about sixty feet from Locust street.”

Which was read.

On motion,

Common Council concurred in the amendment.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had received a report from the Joint Special Committee on Interments, and the depths of graves, which they transmitted for information.

Which was read, and laid on the table.


Another message

Informed that Select Council had passed the following, to wit:

Resolved, That the City Commissioners, under the direction of the Committee on Public Highways, be, and they are hereby directed to cause Black Horse alley, running from Front to Second, and between High and Chesnut streets, to be graded and repaved, forthwith.

Which was twice read and passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Adjourned. 

TUESDAY, June 19, 1849.

$\frac{1}{4}$ 8 o'clock, P. M.

Council met.—Present,

Messrs. Amos,
Christian,
Derbyshire,
Fisher,
Gemmill,
Gerhard,
Godley,
Lancaster,
Lennig,

Messrs. Lewis,
Mentz,
Orne,
Poulson,
Thompson,
Watt,
Wilcox,
Snowden, Pres't.

A message from Select Council informed that they had passed the following preamble and resolutions, to wit :

Whereas, By the death of James K. Polk, the nation has been called upon to mourn the loss of one who had so recently filled the office of its Chief Magistrate, and who, by his private worth, enjoyed the esteem and confidence of a large circle of devoted friends; the Councils of the City of Philadelphia, deeply deploring, in common with their fellow citizens, the demise, at a comparatively early age, of one so justly honored, feel it a duty and a privilege to present a public expression of their esteem for the character and services of the deceased, and of their sympathy with his surviving relatives and friends; therefore,

Resolved, That as a mark of respect for the memory of the deceased, the chamber of the Select and Common Councils be hung with the emblems of mourning for the space of six months.

Resolved, That the Presidents of Councils and a Committee of two members from each Council be appointed to address a letter of condolence to the widow and immediate family of the deceased.

And had appointed Messrs. Elliott and Tyson the Committee on the part of Select Council

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading of the resolutions.

The first resolution was agreed to.

The second resolution was agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to, and

It was ordered that it be entered on the Journal that the preamble and resolutions were *unanimously* agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

The President appointed Messrs. Poulson and Gemmill on the Committee under the last resolution.

Adjourned.

THURSDAY, June 21, 1849.

Council met.—Present,

Messrs. Amos,
Christian,
Derbyshire,
Fisher,
Gemmell,
Gerhard,
Godley,
Lancaster,
Lennig,

Messrs. Lewis,
Mentz,
Orne,
Poulson,
Thomas,
Thompson,
Watt,
Wilcox,
Snowden, Pres't.

Mr. Poulson

Presented a remonstrance from Citizens against appropriating the west side of Dock south from Walnut street as a stand for omnibusses.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Police.

Mr. Thomas

Presented a petition of residents of Mulberry street, in favor of allowing the streets to be watered during the warm weather.

Mr. Thompson

One of similar tenor from residents of Chestnut street, accompanied by certificates in favor of the same, signed by numerous physicians.

Mr. Lennig

Two of similar tenor from residents of Walnut and Spruce streets.

Which were read.

Mr. Thompson

Moved that they be laid on the table.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Thompson

Moved that the petitions be referred to a Special Committee.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Gerhard

Moved that they be referred to the Sub-Committee on Cleansing.

Which was agreed to.

The President

Laid before Council a communication from H. R. Kneass, Solicitor for the County Commissioners, on the subject of erecting new Public Buildings.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on City Property.

Mr. Poulson

From the Committee on Police, made a report (Appendix No. 55,) in answer to the petition asking that the Bell of the Good Will Fire Company may be rung by the members on the occasion of fire, with the following resolution annexed, to wit :

Resolved, That the Committee be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution.

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

Also,

A further report from the same Committee (Appendix No. 56,) with a Bill annexed, entitled

“A Supplement to an Ordinance passed on the 31st December, 1835, entitled, ‘A further Ordinance relating to Second street Market place.’ ”

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Bill annexed to the report.

The first section was agreed to.

The second section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

And the Bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then by special order read a third time and passed.

Select Council concurred.

Also,

A further report from the same Committee (Appendix No. 57,) in answer to the petition asking for an appropriation to be made for a display of Fireworks on the Fourth of July. With the following resolution annexed, to wit:

Resolved, That the Committee be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution.

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Orne,

From the Committee on the Library, made a report (Appendix No. 58,) with the following resolution annexed, to wit:

Resolved, That the thanks of the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia are due and are hereby presented to

the Hon. George M. Dallas, late Vice President of the United States, for his acceptable donation of important State papers and public documents to the City Library.

Resolved, That the Clerk of Councils be requested to convey to Mr. Dallas a copy of the foregoing resolution.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolutions annexed to the report.

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Lewis,

From the Committee on Public Highways, made a report (Appendix No. 59,) with a Bill annexed, entitled

“An Ordinance to establish the regulation of Delaware Avenue and the wharves to the eastward thereof, between High and Sassafras streets.”

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the bill annexed to the report.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

And the bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then by special order read a third time and passed.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Mentz

Offered the following :

Resolved, That the Mayor be authorized, on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Citizens of Philadelphia, to release from the lien of a Judgment entered in the District Court for the City

and County of Philadelphia, on the 18th day of May, 1849, to March Term, 1849, No. 342, in which the Mayor, Aldermen, and Citizens of Philadelphia are plaintiffs, and William Yard, Pearson Yard and Charles Acheson, are defendants, the following described real estate, the property of Charles Acheson one of said defendants, viz :

All that three story brick messuage or tenement, brick back buildings, and two three story brick messuages or tenements erected on the back end of the lot, and lot or piece of ground, situate on the north side of Mulberry street, between Ninth street and Tenth street, in the City of Philadelphia, containing in breadth east and west twenty feet including the one-half part of a three feet wide alley, and in length or depth north and south one hundred and forty-four feet ; bounded eastward by ground now or late of Thomas Patton, northward by ground now or late of Edward Lucas and Isaac Snowden, westward by ground now or late of the widow Moore, and southward by said Mulberry street.

And all that three story brick messuage or tenement, and back buildings, and lot or piece of ground, situate on the north side of Mulberry street, between Delaware Ninth and Tenth streets, in the said City of Philadelphia. Containing in breadth east and west twenty feet, including the one-half part of a three feet wide alley, and in length or depth north and south one hundred and forty-four feet ; bounded westward by ground sold and conveyed by Thomas Patton to John Fox, northward by ground said to be of Edward Lucas or Isaac Snowden, eastward by ground now or late of Thomas Patton, and southward by Mulberry street aforesaid.

And all that three story brick messuage or tenement, and back buildings, and lot or piece of ground, situate on the west side of Delaware Ninth street, in the City of Philadelphia, beginning at the distance of ninety feet southward from the south side of Filbert street ; containing in breadth on the said Ninth street eighteen feet, and in length or depth eighty feet ; bounded on the east by the said Ninth street, on the south by ground late of Thomas Astley, on the north by ground granted by Thomas Astley to Michael Fox, and on the west by a twenty-five feet six

inches wide court, left open by the said Thomas Astley, which court runs southwardly into a thirteen feet nine inches wide alley, also left open by the said Thomas Astley, leading eastward from the said court into the said Ninth street; together with the common use and privilege of the said court and alley, at all times hereafter forever, and of a water course therein respectively.

And all that frame messuage or tenement, and frame stable, and lot or piece of ground, situate on the south side of Lombard street, at the distance of one hundred and thirty-eight feet westward from the west side of Broad street, in the City of Philadelphia—containing in front or breadth on said Lombard street thirty feet, and extending in length or depth southward seventy-eight feet; bounded on the north by the said Lombard street, on the south by ground now or late of the heirs of William Penn, Jr., on the east by ground now or late of Michael Fox, and on the west by ground now or late of Michael Fox and John Fox, being part of a larger lot or piece of ground which the Inspectors of the prison in Philadelphia, by deed poll, dated the 24th day of May, A. D., 1805, recorded at Philadelphia in deed book E. F., No. 29, page 70, granted and conveyed to Michael Fox and John Fox in fee with the appurtenances.

And all that lot or piece of ground, situate in the township of Passyunk, in the county of Philadelphia, marked in the plan of partition of real estate late of John Fox, deceased, No. 3, (three) beginning at a corner of lot marked in said plan, No. 2, (two) and of land late of Michael Fox, at the distance of eighty one feet, eleven and one quarter inches southeast from the eastwardly line of Schuylkill Third street, as intended to be opened, thence along land late of Michael Fox, south sixty-four degrees fifteen minutes, east two hundred and forty-one feet nine inches, to a point in the line of lot marked in said plan No. 4, (four,) thence parallel with said Schuylkill Third street, as intended to be opened along the line of lot No. 4, (four,) three hundred and nineteen feet and two-thirds of an inch, to the southwardly line of Christian street as intended to be opened, and thence northwest along said line of Christian street, as intended to be opened, two hundred and thirty-six feet to said lot No. 2, (two,) thence parallel with said Schuylkill Third street, as intended to be

opened along the line of said lot No. 2, (two,) two hundred and sixty-six feet, eight and three-quarter inches, be the same, more or less, to the place of beginning.

And all that two story frame messuage or tenement, and one story brick messuage or tenement, fronting on *Sassafras street*, and all that three story brick messuage or tenement fronting on *Cherry street*, and back buildings, and lot or piece of ground, situate on the south side of *Sassafras street*, at the distance of ninety-one feet westward from the west side of *Schuylkil Eighth street*, in the City of Philadelphia—containing in breadth on the said *Sassafras street* forty feet, and in length or depth two hundred and eighty-eight feet, more or less, to *Cherry street*. Bounded eastward by ground formerly of *Margaret Stertzenback*, southward by the said *Cherry street*, westward by ground lately of *George Riggs*, and northward by *Sassafras street* aforesaid.

Provided the other defendants in said judgment consent thereto.

Which was read twice and passed.

Mr. Orne,

From the Committee on the Library, made a report (Appendix No. 60,) with the following resolutions annexed, to wit :

Resolved, That the thanks of the Select and Common Councils of Philadelphia, be presented to *Alexandre Vattemere*, the agent of the City of Paris for international exchanges, for his acceptable donation of books and plates ; and that the Committee on the Library be authorized to furnish him with a bound copy of the Minutes of the Corporation from 1704 to 1776, of the Minutes of the Committee of Citizens of 1793, of the Journals of Councils, of the Digest of Ordinances, and a duplicate copy of any other printed matter which may be in the collection, or in charge of the Committee.

Resolved, That the Committee on the Library be authorized to send any books presented to the City of Philadelphia, by the agent of the City of Paris, which are not wanted for municipal purposes, to such appropriate institutions as they may select ; and the said Committee are hereby authorized to make known,

through the press, that they will receive and superintend the delivery to Alexandre Vattemere, of any American books, charts or plates, which any portion of the Philadelphia public may desire to exchange for printed works of European origin.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the first resolution annexed to the report.

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the second resolution.

When the same was not agreed to.

Mr. Fisher

Offered the following :

Resolved, That the sum of five hundred dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated, out of any monies in the City Treasury not otherwise appropriated, and that the same be applied to defray the expense of an Exhibition of Fire Works on the evening of the 4th of July next, under the direction of a Joint Special Committee.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution.

And on agreeing to the same, the yeas and nays were required, and were as follows, to wit :

Yeas.—Messrs. Christian, Fisher, Lancaster, Lewis, Thomas, —5.

Nays.—Messrs. Amos, Derbyshire, Gemmill, Gerhard, Godley, Lennig, Mentz, Orne, Poulson, Thompson, Watt, Wilcox, Snowden, Pres't.—12.

So the resolution was not agreed to.

Mr. Thompson

Offered the following,

Resolved, That the meeting of the Committee on Cleansing shall be open like the meetings of Councils—so long as the said Committee shall remain constituted, as at present.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution.

And on agreeing to the same, the yeas and nays were required, and were as follows :

Yeas.—Messrs. Derbyshire, Gerhard, Lewis, Poulson, Thompson, Snowden, Pres't.—6.

Nays.—Messrs. Amos, Christian, Fisher, Gemmill, Godley, Lancaster, Lennig, Mentz, Orne, Thomas, Watt, Wilcox,—12.

So the resolution was not agreed to.

Mr. Amos

Offered the following :

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Highways be instructed to cause to be repaved the Middle Alley, between Water street and Delaware Avenue, and between Sassafras and Vine, and also between Water street and Delaware Avenue, and between Sassafras street and Mulberry street.

Which was read twice and passed.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Lewis

Offered the following :

Resolved, That the City Commissioners be directed to notify the owners of property thereon to pave and curb the following private alleys and courts, viz :

Sober alley, from 129 Walnut street, towards Library street.

McKean's court, south from No. 4 Locust.

First alley, east of Musical Fund Hall.

Gilles' alley, from 181 Cedar to 136 Lombard street.

Mary's alley from 27 Gilles' court to south Sixth street.

First and second alleys from Water to Delaware Avenue, south of Vine street.

First alley from Water to Delaware Avenue, north of High street.

First alley from Water street to Delaware Avenue, north of Chestnut street.

Lætitia court, between High street and Black Horse alley, east of Second street.

Harris' court, west from Lætitia court.

Perry court, west of Delaware Eighth, north of Mulberry.

Court west of Schuylkill Third street, south of Harrison street.

Court or street north of Mulberry, running east from Schuylkill Seventh street.

Which was read twice and passed.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Thompson, in his place,

Presented a Bill, (*Appendix No. 61.*) entitled

“An Ordinance for the suppression of Nuisances.”

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the same.

The first and only section being under consideration,

The same was not agreed to.

A message from Select Council

Informed that they had received a communication from W. M. Stewart, together with a statement from the City Clerk; which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance, with power to act.

Which was read.

On motion,

Common Council concurred in the reference.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had received a Report from the Committee on City Property, and had passed a resolution and two Bills, thereto annexed, to wit:

Resolved, That the Committee on City Property be authorized to rent a lot of ground bounded by Schuylkill Fourth and Fifth and Spruce and Pine streets, upon such terms and for such time as they may deem proper: and to purchase the buildings and fixtures thereon, and to improve the same in such manner as may fit it for the purposes of the City for a Carpenter Shop and place of Deposit.

“An Ordinance making an Appropriation to the Committee on City Property.”

“A Supplement to an Ordinance passed the 26th day of April, 1849, entitled ‘An Ordinance to authorize the construction of certain wharves.’”

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution annexed to the report.

When the same was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the consideration of the Bill annexed to the report, entitled

“An Ordinance making an appropriation to the Committee on City Property.”

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

And the bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then by special order read a third time and passed.

So Common Council concurred.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the bill annexed to the report, entitled

“A Supplement to an Ordinance passed the 26th day of April, 1849, entitled ‘An Ordinance to authorize the construction of certain wharves.’”

The first, second, third and fourth sections were agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

And the bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then by special order read a third time and passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had received a report from the Commissioners of the Girard Estates, with a resolution and Bill annexed, to wit:

Resolved, That the Board of Commissioners of the Girard Estates be, and they are hereby authorized, to sell any of the Stocks or Loans belonging to the Girard Estate, and to re-invest the proceeds thereof in Loans of the United States, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, or of the City of Philadelphia, whenever in their opinion such change of investment will be for the benefit of the fund to which the same belongs.

“An Ordinance making an Appropriation to pay the State and County Tax assessed on the Stocks and Loans belonging to the Delaware Avenue Fund, for the years 1847, 1848 and 1849.”

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution annexed to the report.

When the same was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the Bill annexed to the report.

The first and only section being under consideration,

Mr. Lewis

Moved that the further consideration of the same be postponed, and that the Bill be printed for the use of members.

Which was agreed to.

Adjourned.

THURSDAY, July 5, 1849.

Council met.—Present,

Messrs. Amos,
Christian,
Davis,
Derbyshire,
Fisher,
Gemmill,
Gerhard,
Godley,
Lancaster,

Messrs. Lennig,
Mentz,
Orne,
Poulson,
Thomas,
Thompson,
Watt,
Wilcox,
Snowden, Pres't.

Mr. Mentz

Presented a petition from the City Lamp-lighters, asking that their pay may be increased.

Which were read, and referred to the Committee on Police.

Mr. Gemmill and Mr. Godley,

Petitions from citizens, asking that the Ailanthus trees in the Franklin Square may be removed.

Which were read, and referred to the Committee on City Property.

The President,

A communication from the Board of Health, recommending that chloride of lime be placed in the carts used for collecting kitchen offal.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Cleansing, with power to act.

Also,

A communication from Henry Simpson, surviving administrator of the estate of George Simpson, deceased, asking that remuneration may be made for unofficial services rendered Stephen Girard, during his life.

Which was read, and referred to the Commissioners of the Girard Estates.

Mr. Thompson,

From the Committee on Public Highways, made a report, (Appendix No. 62,) (embracing the report of the Topographical Commissioners, appointed March 15th,) with a bill annexed, entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a culvert in Walnut street."

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the bill annexed to the report.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

And the Bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then by special order read a third time and passed.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Godley

Moved that 250 copies of the report of the Topographical Commissioners be printed for the use of members.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Thompson

From the Committee on Public Highways, made a further report, (Appendix No. 63,) with a resolution and two bills annexed, to wit:

Resolved, That the City Commissioners, under the direction of the Committee on Public Highways, be directed to regulate, curb, and pave Ann street, from Schuylkill Fourth to Fifth street, and to repave Lawrence street, from Twelfth to Juniper street, and Lybrand street, from Sassafra street to a point 266 feet northward therefrom.

“An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a certain culvert.”

“An Ordinance relating to Walnut street.”

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution annexed to the report.

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the first bill annexed to the report, entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a certain culvert.”

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to, and

The bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then, by special order, read the third time, and passed.

Select Council concurred.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the second bill annexed to the report.

The first section was agreed to.

The second section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to, and

The bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then, by special order, read the third time, and passed.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Wilcox

Moved that Council proceed to the second reading and consideration of the bill from Select Council, entitled “An Ordi-

nance making an appropriation to pay the State and County tax, assessed on the Stocks and Loans belonging to the Delaware Avenue Fund, for the years 1847, 1848, and 1849."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

And the bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then read a third time and passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Mr. Fisher

From the Committee on Legacies and Trusts, made a report (Appendix No. 64,) with a resolution annexed, to wit :

Resolved, That the Committee on Legacies and Trusts be authorized to pay to each of the Fire Engine and Hose Companies, whose Engineers have been appointed by the Committee under existing Ordinances, the sum of three hundred dollars, in such amounts and at such times as the Committee shall deem proper: *Provided*, That the Committee may withhold from any Company the whole or any part of the same, if in their opinion, such Company has wilfully violated any of the provisions of the Ordinances relating to the Fire Department.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution annexed to the report.

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Thompson

Offered the following :

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Highways be requested to inquire into the expediency of having a topographical survey made by the City Surveyor of the entire drainage of the

City, in order that culverts and inlets hereafter to be constructed may be made in accordance with a general and well digested plan.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution.

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

A message from Select Council,

Informed that they had received a report from the Watering Committee accompanied with a report and estimate by Frederick Graff, Superintendent of the Fairmount Water Works, and had passed a resolution annexed, to wit :

Resolved, That the Watering Committee be, and they are hereby authorized to contract for a thirty inch main, to be laid in conformity with the report submitted by the Superintendent, unless otherwise ordered by Councils.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading of the resolution.

When the same was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had received a report from the Watering Committee, and had passed a bill thereto annexed, entitled "An Ordinance regulating the use of wash pavements."

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the bill annexed to the report.

The first and only section being under consideration,

Mr. Thomas

Moved to amend the same by adding at the end thereof the words, “ Provided that this bill shall not go into effect until the 1st day of January, 1850.”

Which being under consideration,

Mr. Gemmill

Moved that the further consideration thereof be indefinitely postponed.

On agreeing to which the yeas and nays were required, and were as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Amos, Gemmill, Godley, Lancaster, Lennig, Mentz, Orne, Snowden, Pres’t.—8.

NAYS.—Messrs. Christian, Davis, Derbyshire, Fisher, Gerhard, Poulson, Thomas, Thompson, Watt, Wilcox,—10.

So the postponment was not agreed to.

The amendment was not agreed to.

On agreeing to the section the yeas and nays were required, and were as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Christian, Poulson, Thomas, Thompson, Watt,—5.

NAYS.—Messrs. Amos, Davis, Derbyshire, Fisher, Gemmill, Gerhard, Godley, Lancaster, Lennig, Mentz, Orne, Wilcox, Snowden, Pres’t.—13

So the same was not agreed to.

So Common Council non-concurred.

Mr. Gerhard

Offered the following :

Resolved, That the Watering Committee be directed to inquire into the expediency of constructing a new reservoir.

Which was read twice and passed.

Select Council concurred.

A message from Select Council

Informed that they had received a report from the Commissioners of the Girard Estates, to whom was referred the subject of paving the Ridge Road, and had passed a resolution annexed, to wit :

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Girard Estates be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution,

When the same was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had passed the following, to wit :

Resolved, That the twenty members of Common Council and the eleven members of Select Council, shall constitute a Sanitary Committee, who shall be appointed and divided by the Presidents of Councils into three sections, to consist of ten members each, and a permanent Chairman, who shall be a member of the Common Council, and appointed by the President of that body, [the sections shall be organized in the following manner, and each shall serve on active duty one week, and alternate on and off duty in regular rotation ; the first and second sections shall, in addition to the Chairman, consist each of six members of the Common Council and four members of the Select Council, the third section in addition to the Chairman, to consist of seven members of the Common Council and three members of the Select Council ;] each section when on duty shall meet daily at 12 M., to receive the reports of the High Constables, and the reports of the District Committees, and to adopt such sanitary regulations as may promote the public health and safety. Three members shall constitute a quorum. And so much of a resolution passed

the 24th day of May, as relates to the increasing of the Committee on Cleansing be rescinded, but the duties imposed by said resolution on members of Councils to take charge of certain districts of the City be continued in force.

And that the President in conformity with the direction of the resolution, had appointed and divided the Select Council as follows, to wit :

First Section.—Messrs. Trucks, Roberts, Morris, Souder.

Second Section.—Messrs. Wetherill, Elliott, Waterman, Boswell.

Third Section.—Messrs. Tyson, Hagert, Gilpin.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution.

When the same was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

The President

Appointed and divided Common Council as follows, to wit :

Mr. Gerhard, Chairman.

First Section.—Messrs. Poulson, Lancaster, Gemmill, Orne, Amos, Lennig.

Second Section.—Messrs. Davis, Christian, Lewis, Fisher, Hutchinson, Watt.

Third Section.—Messrs. Mentz, Wilcox, Thompson, Godley, Derbyshire, Thomas, Snowden.

Adjourned.

THURSDAY, July 12, 1849.

Council met.—Present,

Messrs. Amos,
Christian,
Davis,
Derbyshire,
Fisher,
Gemmill,
Gerhard,
Godley,
Hutchinson,
Lancaster,

Messrs. Lennig,
Mentz,
Orne,
Poulson,
Thomas,
Thompson,
Watt,
Wilcox,
Snowden, Pres't.

The President stated the object of the meeting, and laid before Council a communication from the Board of Canal Commissioners of Pennsylvania.

Which was read, and laid on the table.

Mr. Gerhard,

From the Sanitary Committee, made a report (Appendix No. 65,) with two resolutions annexed, to wit:

Resolved, That Councils approve of the action of the Sanitary Committee in providing places of shelter for families resident in the City who shall be removed by the Board of Health from their houses during the prevalence of the cholera, and that admission to such places shall be obtained by the order of the Chairman of the Sanitary Committee or the recommendation of the member of Council in whose district the removal shall be ordered.

Resolved, That the expenditures of the Sanitary Committee shall be certified by its Chairman from time to time to the Chairman of the Committee on Cleansing, who shall thereupon draw a requisition for the amount so certified, which shall be charged to the appropriation of \$10,000, made to the Cleansing Committee on the 7th day of June last.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolutions.

When the same were agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

The President

Laid before Council a communication from E. A. Penniman, Chairman of the Committee on Invitations, to hear the eulogium on the late James K. Polk, to be delivered by the Hon. George M. Dallas, at the Chinese Museum, on the 16th inst., at 11 o'clock, A. M.

Which was read.

Mr. Lancaster

Moved that the invitation be accepted.

Which was agreed to.

A message from Select Council

Informed that they had received a communication from the Canal Commissioners, and had passed a preamble and resolutions relative thereto, to wit :

Whereas, The Board of Canal Commissioners have transmitted to Councils a resolution adopted by said Board determining the route of the Railroad to avoid the Schuylkill Inclined Plane, and fixing the terminus thereof at the Market Street Bridge: *Provided*, that the City authorities give satisfactory assurance that they will have a good and sufficient connection made with Broad street, and completed in proper time; therefore,

1. *Resolved*, That the Board of Canal Commissioners be informed that a good and sufficient connection shall be made and completed in proper time with Broad street, from the line of road indicated by the communication of the Board of Canal Commissioners.

2. *Resolved*, That the Committee on City Property be directed to report by bill or otherwise. And that the Committee be directed to confer with the Commissioners of the District of Spring Garden, Northern Liberties and Kensington, if they shall deem it expedient, on the subject of connecting the Railroad (about being constructed by the Canal Commissioners to avoid the Inclined Plane,) with the Columbia Road, at the most eligi-

ble point above Fairmount Water Works, and as near the Lemon Hill Estate as practicable, and consistent with the interest of all concerned; and they are further directed to obtain from the City Surveyor an estimate of the cost of altering the superstructure of the Permanent Bridge at Market street, to accommodate the Railroad with a double track, and to give the public the same facilities they now enjoy, for wagon travel and foot passengers; also an estimate of the cost of constructing the Railroad from the eastern terminus of the State road to Broad street, and to report what expense the City will incur provided the Railroad shall cross the Schuylkill in the vicinity of Fairmount Water Works.

3. *Resolved*, That a copy of the foregoing preamble and resolutions, duly certified by the Presidents and Clerks of Councils, be transmitted to the Board of Canal Commissioners.

4. *Resolved*, That the Presidents of Councils be requested to act with, and aid the Committee on City Property in carrying out the objects of the foregoing resolutions.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the same.

The first resolution was agreed to.

The second resolution being under consideration,

Mr. Thompson

Moved to amend the same by striking out all after the word resolved, and inserting the following, "That the Committee on City Property report an Ordinance for the construction of the said road at the next stated meeting of Councils."

Which was agreed to.

The second resolution, as amended, was agreed to.

The third and fourth resolutions were agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred with an amendment, in which amendment Select Council concurred.

Adjourned.

THURSDAY, July 19, 1849.

Council met.—Present,

Messrs. Amos,
Christian,
Davis,
Derbyshire,
Fisher,
Gemmill,
Godley,
Hutchinson,
Lancaster,

Messrs. Lennig,
Mentz,
Orne,
Poulson,
Thompson,
Watt,
Wilcox,
Snowden, Pres't.

Mr. Davis,

From the Sanitary Committee, made a report, (Appendix No. 66,) with a resolution annexed, to wit:

Resolved, That the Clerks of the Market be directed to visit all shops and places for the sale of articles of food, within the City, for the purpose of preventing the sale of, and forfeiting unsound articles of food.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution annexed to the report.

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Godley, in his place,

Offered a bill, (Appendix No. 67,) entitled “ An Ordinance to fix the regulation of ascents and descents in Delaware Third and Branch street.”

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the same.

The first and only section being under consideration,

Mr. Amos

Moved that the further consideration of the same be postponed, and that it be referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

Which was not agreed to.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

And the bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then, by special order, read a third time, and passed.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Thompson

Offered the following :

Resolved, That the City Commissioners be directed to notify the owners of property thereon to pave and curb the following private alleys and courts, viz :

Traquair's Court, east of Tenth street, between High and Filbert. Leiper's Court, east of Eleventh, between Mulberry and Filbert. Hide's Court, north of Filbert, between Eighth and Ninth. First Court north of High street, west of Ninth street. First Court south of High street, west of Delaware Seventh street. First Court south of High street, west of Schuylkill Eighth street. [Court or entrance to Farmer's Inn, first south of High street, west from Decatur street.] Saint Joseph's Avenue, between Schuylkill Fifth and Sixth streets, and between High and Chestnut.

Which was read twice and passed.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Poulson,

From the Committee on Police, made a report, (Appendix No. 68,) in answer to the petition from lamplighters, asking an increase of salary, with the following resolution annexed, to wit :

Resolved, That the Committee be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution annexed to the report.

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

A message from Select Council,

Informed that they has passed the following :

Whereas, The Board of Guardians “for the relief and employment of the poor,” have in their recent report expressed a desire that the City authorities should make a visit to that institution. Therefore be it

Resolved, That a Committee of three members from each Council be appointed to visit the said Alms House, and examine into the manner in which said institution is conducted.

And had appointed Messrs. Souder, Elliott, and Waterman, the Committee on the part of Select Council.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution.

When the same was not agreed to.

So Common Council non-concurred.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had received a report from the Board of Commissioners of the Girard Estates, (relative to the

communication from Henry Simpson,) with the following resolution annexed, to wit :

Resolved, That the Board be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution.

When the same was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had passed the following, to wit :

Resolved, That the Mayor be authorized to affix the City Seal to the following described deed, and to acknowledge the same as and for the act and deed of this Corporation, viz.

Deed from the Mayor, Aldermen, and Citizens of Philadelphia to Peter Glasgow, for a certain lot or piece of ground situate at the south-east corner of Eleventh street and Lombard street, in the City of Philadelphia, containing in breadth on the said Eleventh street, eighteen feet, and in length or depth of the same width along the said Lombard street, ninety-four feet, bounded northward by the said Lombard street, eastward and southward by other ground belonging to the City Corporation, and westward by Eleventh street aforesaid, subject to the payment of a yearly rent or sum of ninety-nine dollars, commencing on the first day of January, 1850, and payable half yearly from that date, and redeemable at any time within ten years from the day of the date of said deed on payment of the principal sum of one thousand six hundred and fifty dollars.

Which was read twice and passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Adjourned.

THURSDAY, August 2, 1849.

Council met.—Present,

Messrs. Amos,
Christian,
Davis,
Derbyshire,
Gemmil,
Gerhard,
Godley,
Hutchinson,

Messrs. Lancaster,
Lennig,
Mentz,
Thompson,
Watt,
Wilcox,
Snowden, Pres't.

The President

Laid before Council a communication from Harman Yerkes, Master Warden, asking the co-operation of Councils in establishing a line to which piers may be extended from both shores of the river Schuylkill.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

Mr. Amos,

From the Committee on Public Highways, made a report, (Appendix No. 69,) with a bill annexed, entitled “ A Supplement to an Ordinance, passed the 5th day of July, A. D. 1849, entitled ‘ An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a culvert in Walnut street.’ ”

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the bill annexed to the report.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

And the bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then, by special order, read a third time and passed.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Hutchinson, on leave given,

Presented a petition of owners and residents of property on Seventh street between Chestnut and Carpenter street, asking that the stand for cabs in that vicinity may be removed.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Police.

Mr. Gerhard, on leave given,

Presented a bill, (Appendix No. 70,) entitled "An Ordinance to prevent the sale or exposure to sale of unwholesome provisions."

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the same.

The first, second and third sections were agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

And the bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then, by special order, read a third time and passed.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Lennig, in his place,

Presented a bill, (Appendix No. 71,) entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the appointment of certain Police officers."

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the same.

The first and only section being under consideration,

Mr. Hutchinson

Moved that it be referred to the Committee on Police, on agreeing to which the yeas and nays were required, and were as follows :

YEAS—Messrs. Amos, Hutchinson, Mentz, Wilcox,—4.

NAYS—Messrs. Christian, Davis, Derbyshire, Gemmill, Gerhard, Godley, Lancaster, Lennig, Thompson, Watt, Snowden, Pres't,—11.

So the motion was not agreed to.

The section being again under consideration,

The same was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

And the bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then, by special order, read a third time and passed.

A message from Select Council,

Informed that they had received a report from the Committee on City Property, and had passed a bill thereto annexed, entitled “An Ordinance for the construction of a Railroad, from the foot of High street on the west side of the river Schuylkill, to connect with the railroad in Broad street.”

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the bill annexed to the report.

The first, second and third sections were agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

And the bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then, by special order, read a third time and passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had had under consideration the bill entitled “An Ordinance to provide for the appointment of certain Police officers,” and had referred the same to the Committee on Police.

Which was read.

Mr. Hutchinson

Moved that Common Council concur in the reference.

On agreeing to which the yeas and nays were required, and were as follows :

YEAS—Messrs. Amos, Christian, Hutchinson, Mentz, Wilcox,
—5.

NAYS—Messrs. Davis, Derbyshire, Gemmill, Gerhard, Godley, Lancaster, Lennig, Thompson, Watt, Snowden, Pres’t.—10.

So Common Council non-concurred in the reference of Select Council.

Adjourned.

THURSDAY, August 16, 1849.

Council met.—Present,

Messrs. Amos,

Christian,

Davis,

Derbyshire,

Fisher,

Gerhard,

Godley,

Hutchinson,

Messrs. Lewis,

Mentz,

Orne,

Poulson,

Wilcox,

Watt,

Snowden, Pres't.

Mr. Gerhard

Offered the following:

Whereas, The Citizens of Philadelphia in Select and Common Councils assembled, have learned that his Excellency Zachary Taylor, President of the United States of America, is about to visit the City of Philadelphia, it is hereby

Resolved, That a joint special Committee of three members of each Council be appointed to tender to his Excellency the hospitalities of the City, and to provide for his proper reception as a guest thereof.

Which was read twice and passed.

The President

Appointed Messrs. Gerhard, Wilcox, and Christian.

Select Council concurred,

And appointed Messrs. Elliott, Tyson, and Waterman.

Mr. Gerhard

Offered the following:

Resolved, That hereafter, the Stated Meetings of the Sanitary Committee, shall be every Wednesday at 12 M., and on such other days and at such hours as the Committee may from time to time order.

Which was read twice and passed.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Christian

Presented a petition of the drivers of furniture cars, on the stand in Spruce street below Second street, asking that the same may be removed to Dock street above Front street.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Police.

The President

Laid before Council a communication from Jos. R. Chandler, President of the Board of Directors of the Girard College for Orphans, informing of a vacancy in said Board, occasioned by the resignation of Saunders Lewis, Esq., elected by Common Council.

Which was read and laid on the table.

Also,

A further communication from the same, relative to the erection of works for supplying water for the College buildings, and asking an appropriation for the same. (Appendix No. 72.)

Which was read and referred to the Commissioners of the Girard Estates.

Mr. Amos,

Presented the Report (Appendix No. 73,) of the Committee of Visitation to the Girard College for Orphans, for the months of June and July.

Which was read and laid on the table.

Mr. Lewis,

From the Committee on Public Highways, made a report, (Appendix No. 74,) with a bill annexed, entitled "An Ordinance making a further appropriation to the Committee on Public Highways, for the purpose of repairing the pebble pavement of Delaware Avenue."

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the bill annexed to the report.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to,

And the bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then, by special order, read a third time, and passed.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Lewis

Offered the following :

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Highways be authorized to transfer from Item "Miscellaneous" to Item "Repairs to Culverts, &c.," the sum of five hundred dollars, in the appropriation to that Committee for the year 1849.

Which was read twice and passed.

Select Council concurred.

A message from Select Council

Informed that they had received a report from the Joint Special Committee on Interments, and have passed the following resolution thereto annexed, to wit :

Resolved, That the Committee on the depths of graves and prohibiting interments, be continued to October next.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution annexed to the report ;

And being under consideration,

Mr. Davis

Moved to amend the same by striking out the word "to" in the last line, and insert in lieu thereof the words, "and report on or before."

Which was agreed to.

The resolution as amended was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred with an amendment.

In which amendment Select Council concurred.

Adjourned.

THURSDAY, August 30, 1849.

Council met.—Present,

Messrs. Amos,
Christian,
Derbyshire,
Fisher,
Gemmill,
Gerhard,
Godley,
Hutchinson,
Lancaster,
Lennig,

Messrs. Lewis,
Mentz,
Orne,
Poulson,
Thomas,
Thompson,
Watt,
Wilcox,
Snowden, Pres't.

Mr. Lewis

Presented a petition of Citizens, asking that Sycamore street may be paved.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

Mr. Thompson :

Sundry petitions from Citizens, asking that so much of the Ordinance, passed on the 7th of June, 1849, as prohibits the watering of the streets, may be repealed.

Which was read, and on motion of Mr. Fisher,

Referred to the Sanitary Committee.

The President

Laid before Council a communication from John Yarrow, accompanied with an extract from the minutes of the Board of Directors of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, in relation to the resignation of S. V. Merrick as President of the Board. (Appendix No. 75.)

Which was read, and laid on the table.

Also

A copy of a resolution passed by the Board of Health, recommending the continuance of the prompt collection and removal of the kitchen offal, and the cleansing of the gutters, until the end of the next month.

Which was read, and referred to the Sanitary Committee.

Mr. Poulson,

From the Committee on Police made a report, (Appendix No. 76,) with a bill annexed, entitled "An Ordinance appropriating certain parts of Dock, Walnut, and Third streets, for stands for omnibusses, and for enforcing useful regulations thereat, and for other purposes."

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the bill annexed to the report.

The first, second, third, fourth, fifth and sixth sections, were agreed to.

The title was agreed to, and

The bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then, by special order, read a third time and passed.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Gerhard

Offered the following :

Resolved, That the members of the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia have learned, with deep regret, the death of Charles Chauncey, Esq., whose courtesy, integrity and talents so long adorned the bar of which he was an eminent member, and whose public and private life distinguished him not less as a citizen than as a Christian.

Resolved, That the Presidents of the Select and Common Councils be requested to transmit to the family of Mr. Chauncey a copy of the foregoing resolution.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolutions.

The first resolution was agreed to.

The second resolution was agreed to.

And it was ordered, that it be entered on the Journal that the same were unanimously agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Lewis,

From the Committee on Public Highways, made a report, (Appendix No. 77,) with a bill annexed, entitled “ An Ordinance to prevent accidents during the construction, repair and alteration of buildings in the City of Philadelphia.”

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the bill annexed to the report.

The first section was agreed to.

The second section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

And the bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then, by special order, read a third time and passed.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Lewis,

From the same Committee, made a further report, (Appendix No. 78,) with a bill annexed, entitled “ An Ordinance relating to Water street.”

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the bill annexed to the report.

The first section was agreed to.

The second section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to,

And the bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then, by special order, read a third time and passed,

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Poulson, in his place,

Offered a bill, (Appendix No. 79,) entitled “ An Ordinance to provide for the rewarding of persons active in bringing certain offenders to justice.”

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the same.

The first and only section being under consideration,

Mr. Thompson

Moved that the further consideration thereof be postponed, and that the bill be printed for the use of the members.

Which was not agreed to.

The section being again under consideration,

Mr. Gemmill

Moved to amend the same by adding at the end thereof the following, to wit: “ Provided that said rewards shall in no case be paid to members of the City Police.”

Which was not agreed to.

The section being again under consideration,

Mr. Thompson

Moved that it be referred to the Committee on Police.

Which was not agreed to.

On agreeing to the section the yeas and nays were required, and were as follows, to wit :

YEAS.—Messrs. Christian, Derbyshire, Gerhard, Godley, Lennig, Orne, Poulson, Thompson, Wilcox—9.

NAYS.—Messrs. Amos, Fisher, Gemmill, Hutchinson, Lancaster, Lewis, Mentz, Thomas, Watt, Snowden, Pres't—10.

So the section was not agreed to.

Mr. Lewis

Offered the following :

Resolved, That the City Commissioners be instructed to notify the owners of property on Prior's court, to cause said court to be repaved.

Which was read twice and passed.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Fisher

Moved that Council proceed to the election of a Director of the Girard College for Orphans, in the place of and for the unexpired time of Saunders Lewis, Esq., resigned.

Which was agreed to.

Messrs. Fisher and Amos were appointed tellers, who having collected and counted the votes, reported that 18 votes had been received, of which—

James Hutchinson	had	12
F. A. Packard	“	2
A. G. Coffin	“	3
Chas. A. Poulson	“	1

Whereupon JAMES HUTCHINSON having received a majority of all the votes, was declared to be duly elected a Director of the Girard College for Orphans, in the place of and for the unexpired time of Saunders Lewis, Esq., resigned.

A message from Select Council,

Informed that they had passed the following, to wit :

Whereas, It is the duty of Councils, as the representatives of the people, to use every means in their power to add to the comfort and health of the citizens ; *and whereas*, the purity of the water used by our citizens is of vital importance, therefore

Resolved, That the Watering Committee be requested to take under consideration the propriety of erecting, at Fairmount, a Filterer, of sufficient capacity to remove from the water all impurities, before it is deposited in the reservoirs, or basins, for distribution ; and report as early as practicable as to the feasibility of the plan, and the probable cost.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution,

When the same was agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had passed a bill, entitled "A Supplement to an Ordinance for the suppression of nuisances, passed the 7th day of June, 1849."

Which was read.

Mr. Fisher

Moved that it be referred to the Sanitary Committee.

Which was agreed to.

Adjourned.

THURSDAY, September 13, 1849.

Council met.—Present,

Messrs. Amos,
Christian,
Davis,
Derbyshire,
Fisher,
Gerhard,
Godley,
Lancaster,
Lennig, -

Messrs. Lewis,
Mentz,
Orne,
Poulson,
Thomas,
Watt,
Wilcox,
Snowden, Pres't.

Mr. Poulson

Presented a petition from proprietors of omnibusses, complaining of their coaches being removed from their accustomed stands, by the arrangement under the recent Ordinance, and asking to be reinstated.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Police.

The President

Laid before Council a communication from Jas. L. Townley, Secretary of a Meeting of the Whig citizens of Lower Delaware Ward, accompanied with resolutions passed by the meeting, commending the measures pursued by Councils during the recent prevalence of the Asiatic cholera.

Which was read, and laid on the table.

Also,

A communication from Dr. J. A. Elkinton, calling the attention of Councils to the National Convention to be held at St. Louis, on the 12th day of October next, relative to a railroad to the Pacific.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on City Property.

Mr. Gerhard,

From the Sanitary Committee, made a report, (Appendix No. 80,) with a bill annexed, entitled "A Supplement to an Ordinance for the suppression of Nuisances, passed on the 7th day of June, A.D. 1849."

Also the following :

"*Resolved*, That the subject of regulating the times when water from the fire plugs shall be permitted to be used for the purpose of sprinkling the streets, be referred to the Watering Committee with instructions to report the same to Councils."

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the bill annexed to the report.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

And the bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then, by special order, read a third time and passed.

Select Council concurred.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution annexed to the report.

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Lewis,

From the Committee on Public Highways, made a report, (Appendix No. 81,) with the following resolution annexed, to wit :

Resolved, That the North American Telegraph Company be, and they are hereby authorized to erect poles at various points, for the purpose of extending their wires along the following route, in lieu of the route along Third street, designated by resolution passed June 7, 1849, viz: From their office, situate on the south side of Chestnut street, west of Delaware Third street, across to the corner of Franklin place and Chestnut street, thence across Chestnut street again, to Hudson's alley, along Hudson's alley to Harmony court, and using their present poles along Harmony court to Fourth street, then up and along Fourth street to Vine street. The poles so to be erected, to be of the same description as provided for by the aforesaid resolution, and the present privilege, being subject to the same conditions and reservations as are contained the said last mentioned resolution.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution annexed to the report.

When the same was agreed to.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Gerhard

Offered the following :

Resolved, That the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, tender the thanks of their fellow citizens and this corporation, to the members of the Board of Health, for their able and efficient official exertions during the late prevalence of the Asiatic cholera in this city; and that the Clerks of Councils shall transmit a copy of this resolution to the Board of Health.

Which was read twice and passed.

Select Council concurred.

A message from Select Council,

Informed that they had passed a bill, entitled "An Ordinance

to provide for the care of property belonging to or acquired by Orphans, admitted into the Girard College for Orphans.”

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the same.

The first, second and third sections were agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

And the bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then, by special order, read a third time and passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had received a report from the Watering Committee, and had passed the following resolution thereto annexed, to wit:

Resolved, That the Watering Committee be, and they are hereby authorized to purchase such lots of ground located in the District of Spring Garden, and situated between Schuylkill Front street and Corinthian avenue, College avenue, and Parrish street, as they may deem to be proper, for the purpose of constructing reservoirs thereon, for the storage of water, provided the cost thereof does not exceed the sum of forty thousand dollars.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution.

When the same was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Adjourned.

THURSDAY, September 27, 1849.

Council met.—Present,

Messrs. Amos,
Christian,
Davis,
Derbyshire,
Fisher,
Gemmill,
Gerhard,
Godley,
Hutchinson,
Lancaster,

Messrs. Lennig,
Lewis,
Mentz,
Orne,
Poulson,
Thomas,
Thompson,
Watt,
Wilcox,
Snowden, Pres't.

Mr. Lewis

Presented a petition from owners and occupants of property on Schriver's Court, asking that the name of the same may be changed to "Winfield Place."

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

The President

Laid before Council a communication from Horn R. Kneass, Solicitor of the Commissioners of the County of Philadelphia, inviting Councils to examine the plans, &c., for the proposed new County Buildings.

Which was read, and laid on the table.

Also,

A communication from the Manager of Barnum's Museum, asking permission to suspend a flag across Chestnut street once a week.

Which was read and laid on the table.

Also

One from the Board of Health, requesting that the wharf at Cedar street, Delaware, may be extended twenty-five or thirty feet to carry the culvert out further into the river.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on City Property.

Mr. Christian

Presented a petition from residents and occupants of property in the vicinity of the Exchange, asking that the stands for omnibusses in Third and Walnut street may be vacated.

Which was read and laid on the table.

Mr. Poulson,

From the Committee on Police, made a report, (Appendix No. 82,) with a bill annexed, entitled "A Supplement to an Ordinance on the 30th day of August, A. D. 1849, entitled 'An Ordinance appropriating certain parts of Dock, Walnut, and Third streets for stands for omnibusses, and for enforcing useful regulations thereat, and for other purposes.' "

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the bill annexed to the report.

The first, second and third sections were agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

And the bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then, by special order, read a third time and passed.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Gerhard

Offered the following :

Resolved, That a resolution passed on the 7th day of June, 1849, directing the City Commissioners to cause the public passages, ways or steps between Front and Water street, to be cleansed, purified, and closed, be and the same is hereby rescinded.

Which was read twice and passed.

Select Council concurred.

Mr. Fisher,

From the Committee on Legacies and Trusts, submitted their Annual Report, (Appendix No. 83,) showing the condition of the various trusts under their charge.

Which was read, and 250 copies ordered to be printed for the use of members.

Mr. Orne,

From the Committee on the Library, made a report, (Appendix No. 84.)

Which was read and laid on the table.

Mr. Gerhard

From the Sanitary Committee, made a final report, (Appendix No. 85.)

Which was read.

Mr. Poulson

Moved that 250 copies be printed for the use of members.

Which was agreed to.

A message from Select Council,

Informed that they had received a report from the Committee on City Property, and had passed the following resolution thereto annexed, to wit:

Resolved, That the Mayor be authorized to affix the City Seal to the following described deeds, and acknowledge the same as and for the act and deed of this Corporation.

1. Deed to Wesley Cale, of the District of Moyamensing, for a lot of ground, situate on the south side of Lombard street, at the distance of one hundred and ten feet westward from Tenth street, containing in front on said Lombard street, sixteen feet, and in length or depth, seventy feet, to a twenty feet wide street, intended to be laid out for public use, and to extend from Tenth to Eleventh street, subject to the payment of an annual rent or sum of fifty-six dollars, to commence October 1, A. D. 1849, payable half-yearly, and redeemable at any time within ten years upon the payment of the principal sum of nine hundred and thirty-three and one-third dollars.

2. Deed to William Dougherty, of the District of Southwark, for a lot of ground situate on the south side of Lombard street, at the distance of one hundred and twenty-six feet westward from Tenth street, containing in front on said Lombard street, sixteen feet, and in length or depth seventy feet, to a twenty feet wide street, intended to be laid out for public use, and to extend from Tenth to Eleventh street, subject to the payment of an annual rent or sum of fifty-six dollars, to commence October 1st, A. D, 1849, payable half-yearly, and redeemable at any time within ten years, upon the payment of the principal sum of nine hundred and thirty-three and one-third dollars.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution,

When the same was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had received a report from the Joint Special Committee on Interments, and the depth of graves, and had passed a resolution thereto annexed, to wit:

Resolved, That the subject embraced in the resolution of the 26th of April last, relating to the depth of graves, and the pro-

priety of restricting or prohibiting interments within the City limits, be recommended to the early consideration of the next Councils.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the resolution annexed to the report.

When the same was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Another message

Informed that Select Council had passed the following, to wit :

Resolved, That the Clerks of Councils be directed to prepare and publish for the use of Councils, the Rules, Regulations and Usages, which govern the Proceedings of the respective Chambers, and the intercourse between them.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the same.

And being under consideration,

Mr. Gerhard,

Moved that the further consideration thereof be postponed, and that the resolution be laid on the table.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Poulson

Offered the following :

Resolved, That the thanks of Common Council are due to Thomas Snowden, Esq., and they are hereby tendered to him,

for the punctual, impartial, and courteous discharge of his varied duties, as presiding officer of this body.

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration thereof.

When the question on the same was put from the Clerk's table and *unanimously* agreed to.

On motion, it was

Ordered to be so entered on the Journal.

Adjourned.

TUESDAY, October 2, 1849.

Council met.—Present,

Messrs. Amos,
Christian,
Davis,
Derbyshire,
Fisher,
Gemmill,
Godley,
Hutchinson,

Messrs. Lancaster,
Lennig,
Lewis,
Poulson,
Thomas,
Watt,
Wilcox,
Snowden, Pres't.

Mr. Poulson,

From the Committee on Police, made a report, (Appendix No. 86,) with a bill annexed, entitled "An Ordinance making an appropriation for the relief of Robert Ralston, a night policeman."

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the bill annexed to the report.

The first and only section being under consideration,

Mr. Gemmill

Moved to amend the same, by striking out the word "fifty" where it appears in the same, and inserting the words "one hundred" in lieu thereof.

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

And the bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then, by special order, read a third time and passed.

Select Council concurred.

A message from Select Council

Informed that they had passed a bill, entitled “ An Ordinance making an appropriation to the Watering Committee.”

Which was read.

On motion,

Council proceeded to the second reading and consideration of the same.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

And the bill ordered to be prepared for a third reading.

It was then, by special order, read a third time and passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Adjourned.

APPENDIX

TO THE

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APPENDIX, No. I.

To the Hon. Common Council:

The Committee appointed to take charge of the unfinished business of the late Council, beg leave to

REPORT—

They have carefully examined the Journal, and find the following unfinished business, to wit:

A Resolution offered on the 13th of April last, instructing the Clerks of Councils to prepare and publish a new edition of the Digest of the Ordinances and Acts of Assembly relating to the Corporation. Also,

A Report, with a Resolution annexed, presented on the 23d September by the Joint Special Committee, appointed March 16th, to examine the books and accounts of the Trustees of the Gas Works.

Respectfully submitted.

JACOB AMOS,
SAUN. LEWIS,
A. W. THOMPSON.

Oct. 26, 1848.

APPENDIX, No. II.

To the Select and Common Councils :

The Committee on Public Highways

REPORT—

The annexed resolution, relating to Ralston street, and recommend its passage :

Respectfully submitted.

Phila. Oct. 26, 1848.

SAUN. LEWIS, *Chairman.*
 JACOB AMOS,
 JESSE GODLEY,
 JAS. J. BOSWELL,
 J. R. TYSON,
 J. E. HAGERT,
 A. W. THOMPSON.

Resolved, That the City Commissioners, under the direction of the Committee on Public Highways, be directed to regulate, curb and pave Ralston street, in the city of Philadelphia.

APPENDIX, No. III.

The Committee on Finance

REPORT—

the following :

Resolved, That the Mayor be authorized, on behalf of and for the Mayor, Aldermen and Citizens of Philadelphia, to release from the lien of a judgment entered in the District Court for the City and County of Philadelphia, on the 20th day of June, 1848, to June Term, 1848, No. 91, in which the Mayor, Aldermen, and Citizens of Philadelphia are plaintiffs, and William A. Wilson, Silas C. Wilson and Samuel W. Weer are defendants, a certain lot or piece of ground, with the buildings thereon erected, situate on the west side of Jacoby street, at the distance of two hundred and seventy-two feet northward from the north side of Sassafras street, in the City of Philadelphia, containing in front or breadth on said Jacoby street fifteen feet, and extending in length or depth westward eighty feet, to a certain ten feet wide alley, leading southward into Wager street, bounded north by ground of

William Bethel, south by ground of Thomas Brinton, east by said Jacoby street, and west by the aforesaid ten feet wide alley, belonging to Samuel W. Weer, one of the above named defendants. *Provided* the other defendants in the said judgment, and the other surety for the faithful performance by the said William A. Wilson of the duties of the office of Collector of Taxes of South Ward consent thereto.

JOHN C. DAVIS, *Chairman.*
CHARLES GILPIN,
WM. G. MENTZ,
JOHN TRUCKS,
JAS. R. GEMMILL.

APPENDIX, No. IV.

To the Select and Common Councils:

The Committee on Public Highways

REPORT

the following resolution relating to Black Horse alley, and ask its passage.

Phila. Nov. 9, 1848.

SAUN. LEWIS, *Chairman.*
JESSE GODLEY,
JACOB AMOS,
A. W. THOMPSON,
JAS. J. BOSWELL,
ALGERNON S. ROBERTS,
J. E. HAGERT.

Resolved, That the City Commissioners, under the direction of the Committee on Public Highways, be directed to alter the grade of and repair the pebble pavement and tramway in Black Horse alley, from Second street, eastwardly, as far as the summit, between said Second and Front streets.

APPENDIX, No. V.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

(READ IN COMMON COUNCIL DEC. 7, 1848.)

Laid on the table.

At a Stated Meeting of the Board of Joint Watering Committees, held on Tuesday evening, Nov. 28th, 1848, the following resolution was offered and unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That this Board tender to our kind neighbours, the City of Philadelphia, the thanks of the citizens and inhabitants of the Districts of Northern Liberties and Spring Garden, for the valuable supply of water she furnished them upon the first tidings of our late calamity; thereby relieving them at once from the feverish anxiety occasioned not only by the sudden deprivation of so valuable an article at the moment of their greatest need, but also by the dread of fire, which the absence of water so instantly inspired.

Resolved, That a copy of the above Resolution be furnished to the City Councils.

J. H. FISLER, *Register*.

Phila. Nov. 29, 1848.

APPENDIX, No. VI.

To the Select and Common Councils:

The Committee on Police, to whom was referred the memorial of the Lamp lighters of the City, asking for an increase of their pay;—also, a memorial from forty-three citizens of similar purport, respectfully

REPORT—

That having duly considered said memorials, especially in relation to the newness of this branch of the police service, and the amount of time and labour hitherto employed therein; your Committee are hence of opinion that it is inexpedient to increase the pay of said officers. They further beg leave to suggest the adoption of the resolution annexed.

Committee Room, Dec. 4, 1848.

CHARLES A. POULSON, *Chairman*.
 WILLIAM MORRIS,
 ROBERT HUTCHINSON,
 A. G. WATERMAN,
 J. B. LANCASTER,
 JOHN TRUCKS,

Committee on Police.

Resolved, That the Committee on Police be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

APPENDIX, No. VII.

The Committee on Finance submit the following resolution, and ask its passage.

JOHN C. DAVIS,
CHARLES GILPIN,
WILLIAM MORRIS,
JOHN TRUCKS,
JAS. R. GEMMILL,
WM. G. MENTZ.

Dec. 7, 1848.

Resolved, That the Mayor be authorized, on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Citizens of Philadelphia, to release from the lien of a judgment entered in the District Court for the City and County of Philadelphia, on the 3d day of July, 1848, to June Term, 1848, No. 171, in which the Mayor, Aldermen and Citizens of Philadelphia are plaintiffs, and James B. Beers, George Sharswood and Thomas Hartley are defendants, the following described property, belonging to Thomas Hartley, one of said defendants—all that certain four story brick messuage or tenement and lot or piece of ground situate at the south-west corner of Franklin and Vine streets, in the City of Philadelphia, containing in front or breadth on the said Franklin street twenty feet, and in length or depth, westward, keeping the said width, one hundred and twenty-two feet eight inches; bounded southward by a messuage and ground now or late of Robert Smith, northward by the said Vine street, westward by a three feet four inch wide alley, and eastward by Franklin street; *Provided*, the other defendants in said judgment consent thereto.

APPENDIX, No. VIII.

To the Select and Common Councils:

The Committee on Police, to whom was referred the consideration of the following resolution: "*Resolved*, That the Committee on Police be, and they are hereby authorized to furnish, at such times as they may think fit, to the Night Policemen, or any portion of them, suitable overcoats," respectfully submit the annexed Draft of an Ordinance.

Committee Room, Dec. 4, 1848.

CHARLES A. POULSON, *Chairman.*
WILLIAM MORRIS,
A. G. WATERMAN,
J. B. LANCASTER,
ROBERT HUTCHINSON,

Committee on Police.

A Further Supplement

To an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to establish a Night and Day Police, and to provide for the lighting of the Public Lamps in the City of Philadelphia," passed March 16, 1848.

SECTION 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia in Select and Common Councils assembled*, That from and after the first day of January, A. D. 1849, the compensation to be received by the Night Policemen shall be three hundred and seventy-five dollars per annum, payable as heretofore, any ordinance to the contrary notwithstanding.

SECT. 2. *And be it further ordained and enacted by the authority aforesaid*, That the Committee on Police be, and they are hereby authorized to furnish, at such times as they may think fit, to the Night Policemen, or any portion of them, suitable overcoats.

APPENDIX, No. IX.

To the Select and Common Councils:

The Committee on Police respectfully submit the consideration, and recommend the enactment of, the annexed draft of an ordinance, from a conviction that it will more certainly carry out the intentions of Councils in establishing an efficient police.

Committee Room, Dec. 18, 1848.

CHARLES A. POULSON, *Chairman*.
A. G. WATERMAN,
JOHN TRUCKS,
ROBERT HUTCHINSON,
WILLIAM MORRIS,
J. B. LANCASTER,
FREDERICK LENNIG,

Committee on Police.

A Further Supplement

To an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to establish a Night and Day Police, and to provide for the lighting of the Public Lamps in the City of Philadelphia," passed 16th of March, 1848.

Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia, in Select and Common Councils assembled, That the

tour of duty of the Night Policemen shall commence at sunset, and cease at sunrise; and of the Day Policemen at sunrise and cease at sunset throughout the year; and the said Night Policemen, and their Captains and Lieutenants, and the said Day Policemen and the High Constables, shall assemble at their respective station-houses at least half an hour before the said Day and Night Policemen shall commence their tour of duty.

SECT. 2. *And be it further ordained and enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That no Police officer of the city, of any description, shall be entitled to receive any pay during any time for which he shall have been suspended from duty by the Mayor, unless the Mayor shall recommend, and the Committee on Police approve the contrary.

SECT. 3. *And be it further ordained and enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That it shall be the duty of the Clerk of Police to report to the Committee on Police, on the monthly pay rolls, the name of any of the said officers who shall have been suspended as aforesaid, with the date of such suspension.

SECT. 4. *And be it further ordained and enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That so much of the Ordinance to which this is a Supplement, as is inconsistent herewith, be and the same is hereby repealed.

APPENDIX, No. X.

Supplement

To an Ordinance, entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the Management of John Scott's Legacy," passed the 9th day of September, 1841.

SECT. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia in Select and Common Councils assembled,* That the provisions of the Ordinance to which this is a supplement be, and the same are hereby revived and continued in full force for the period of seven years from the date hereof, unless sooner repealed.

GEO. R. FISHER,
JAS. J. BOSWELL,
J. E. HAGERT,
EDM'D A. SOUDER,
ISAAC ELLIOTT,
WM. WATT,
A. J. DERBYSHIRE.

APPENDIX, No. IX.

To the Select and Common Councils:

The Committee on Police, in compliance with the requisition in the third section of an Ordinance, entitled "An Ordinance for auditing and controlling the expenditures of the city," passed on the first day of October, 1835,

Respectfully present

The annexed estimates of the amount of money which will be required for the use of the city in the police department of the corporation, for the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine.

Committee Room, Jan. 2, 1849.

CHARLES A. POULSON, *Chairman.*
 WILLIAM MORRIS,
 A. G. WATERMAN,
 JOHN TRUCKS,
 ROBERT HUTCHINSON,
 JOHN P. WETHERILL,
 J. B. LANCASTER,

Committee on Police.

Estimates of Expenditures by the Committee on Police for the year 1849.

	Dolls. C.	Dolls. C.
1st. Pay of Night Police, viz:		
4 Captains, at \$600 per annum,	2400 00	
4 Lieutenants, at \$450 "	1800 00	
4 Turnkeys, at \$365 "	1460 00	
200 Policemen, at \$380 "	76000 00	
		81,660 00
2d. Pay of Day Police, viz:		
4 High Constables, at \$500 per annum,	2000 00	
34 Policemen, at \$400 "	13600 00	
		15,600 00
3d. Pay of Lamplighters, viz:		
4 Superintendents, at \$240 per annum,	960 00	
57 Lamplighters, at \$120	6840 00	
		7,800 00
4th. Pay of Policemen in Mayor's office, &c., viz:		
Clerk of Police,	800 00	
1 Lieutenant of Police,	800 00	
1 Second Lieutenant of Police,	700 00	
2 Special Constables, at \$500	1000 00	
1 Turnkey (Mayor's office),	360 00	
		3,660 00
Amount carried forward,		105,060 00

	Dolls. C.	Dolls. C.
Amount brought forward,	3,660 00	105,060 00
1 Messenger,	360 00	
Driver of prison carriage,	360 00	
Watchman of City Hall,	216 00	
2 Clerks High Street Market, at \$600	1200 00	
2 Deputies and Market Watchmen, at \$420,	840 00	
1 Clerk Second Street Market,	500 00	
1 Deputy and Market Watchman,	365 00	
1 Clerk Western Market,	500 00	
1 Deputy and Market Watchman,	365 00	
		8,366 00
5th. For the purchase of Gas, oil, lamps and lamp-posts,		31,337 50
6th. Pay of Miscellaneous Expenses—including the cost of taking up dogs, rewarding persons active in bringing offenders to justice, carpenters', brick-layers', blacksmiths' and plumbers' work and materials, prison carriage and horses, fuel and water rent for station-houses, &c.		6500 00
		151,263 50
From this amount deduct unexpended balance of the year 1848,	16311 71	
Less amount of outstanding bills for 1848,	1500 00	
		14,811 71
Total amount of estimated expenses during the year 1849, less unexpended balance of 1848,		136,451 79

APPENDIX, No. XII.

To the Select and Common Councils:

The Committee on Legacies and Trusts, in compliance with the directions of the 3d section of the Ordinance of the 1st of October, 1835, submit herewith an estimate of the probable amount that will be required for the service of this department for the year 1849.

In the year 1848, seven engine and eleven hose companies were entitled to and received the customary annual appropriation of \$300. It is probable that the same number of companies will be entitled to an appropriation in 1849, which will require

\$5400 00

This amount, with the sum which will be necessary for the purposes of the Board of Engineers, say

200 00

5600 00

Making together five thousand six hundred dollars, will be all that this Committee will probably require in 1849 for the Fire Department.

Carried forward,

5600 00

Amount carried forward,	5600 00
For incidental expenses in carrying out the various trusts under their care, including taxes on the Bondinot lands, for 1848-9,	225 00
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Total Estimates,	5825 00
Less unexpended balance,	288 16
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	\$5536 84

All of which is respectfully submitted.

GEO. R. FISHER,
S. T. CHRISTIAN,
J. E. HAGERT,
WM. WATT,
A. J. DERBYSHIRE,
JAMES J. BOSWELL,
EDMUND A. SOUDER.

APPENDIX, No. XIII.

To the Select and Common Councils:

The Committee on Public Highways, in presenting an estimate of the amount required for the public service in that department for the ensuing year, pursuant to the provisions of an ordinance of 1st October, 1835, ask leave to state that all the work enumerated in the item "New paving" for the year 1848, has been completed, with the exception of Rittenhouse Square, Cox street, Schuylkill Second street from Pine northward, Schuylkill Fourth street from High to Mulberry street, and Sycamore street; and that they have new paved, in addition to those enumerated in said item, the following streets, viz.: Ralston street, Schuylkill Second street from High to Filbert street, Latimer street from Schuylkill Sixth to Schuylkill Seventh streets, and repaved Mulberry street from Delaware Front street to Delaware avenue.

The Committee have pursued a plan of repairing the streets with pebble stone in all cases where it was practicable, instead of repaving them. This has been found to result beneficially, and caused a considerable saving of money. The Committee has expended in repairs to Delaware Avenue, from the item "Repairing Streets," the sum of nine hundred dollars, which was not contemplated in that estimate.

The "New Culverts," enumerated in this item of the appropriation of 1848, have been built, with the exception of

Delaware Fourth street from Mulberry to Cherry street, Schuylkill Sixth from Spruce to Locust street, and Spruce street between Delaware Second and Third streets; and, in addition thereto, they have built a culvert in Delaware Sixth street, extending from Walnut to George streets and in George street, and a culvert in Pine street from Delaware Front street to the dock.

The omissions in the several items have been made after mature deliberation, and the new work has invariably had the sanction of Councils.

For the year 1849, the Committee estimate the following, viz:

No. 1. For new paving,	\$10,000 00
2. For repaving,	3,000 00
3. For repairing streets and paving over water pipes,	11,000 00
4. For new culverts,	3,000 00
5. For repairs to culverts, inlets, and cleaning culverts,	1,000 00
6. For repairs and labour on City Railroad,	4,000 00
7. For repairing Delaware Avenue,	3,000 00
(If Councils shall decide that this expense is to be defrayed out of the Girard fund, this item may be omitted.)	
8. For miscellaneous purposes, including gutter stone, flag stone, rent of City Surveyor's office, salary of Assistant to City Surveyor, repairing pumps, private alleys, utensils, &c.	4,000 00
9. Rebuilding culvert in <i>Dock street</i> from Walnut street to Tobacco Warehouse,	\$15,000 00
in <i>Walnut</i> , from Dock to Delaware,	7,500 00
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	\$29,000 00
Deduct balance to credit of committee from appropriation for 1848,	3,849 51
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	\$35,150 49

Respectfully submitted.

Phila., Jan. 4, 1849.

SAUN. LEWIS, *Chairman.*
 JESSE GODLEY,
 A. W. THOMPSON.
 ALGERNON S. ROBERTS,
 J. E. HAGERT,
 JAS. J. BOSWELL,
 JACOB AMOS.

APPENDIX, No. XIV.

To the Select and Common Councils :

The Committee on Public Highways Report the following resolutions relative to the culvert in Walnut and Dock streets, and also a resolution relating to Cherry street, from Schuylkill Fourth to Fifth streets :

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Highways be and they are hereby authorized to cause a topographical survey to be made of the region of Dock street, from Walnut street to the wharf, with a view to determine on the best and least injurious mode of making increased drainage into the Delaware.

Resolved, That the City Solicitor be, and he is hereby authorized to take legal measures to cause Cherry street, from Schuylkill Fourth to Schuylkill Fifth streets, to be opened.

Respectfully submitted.

Phila. Jan. 9, 1848.

SAUN. LEWIS, *Chairman.*
JESSE GODLEY,
A. W. THOMPSON,
ALGERNON S. ROBERTS,
J. R. TYSON,
JAS. J. BOSWELL,
JACOB AMOS.

APPENDIX, No. XV.

To the Select and Common Councils :

The Committee on Police respectfully submit herewith an estimate of the amount of money which will be required for lighting Delaware Avenue with gas, and for fitting and repairs to lamps therein during the year eighteen hundred and forty-nine. Also a draft of an ordinance, annexed, making the annual appropriation therefor from the Girard Fund, in accordance with the first clause of the twenty-second item of the will of Stephen Girard, viz :

For lighting Delaware Avenue with gas, and fitting and repairs during the year 1849,	\$1,200 00
Less amount of unexpended balance of appropria- tion for year 1848,	547 86
	<hr/> \$652 14

Committee Room, Dec. 30, 1848.

CHARLES A. POULSON, *Chairman.*
ROBERT HUTCHINSON,
J. B. LANCASTER,
FREDERICK LENNIG,
WILLIAM MORRIS,
A. G. WATERMAN,
JOHN TRUCKS,
JOHN P. WETHERILL,
Committee on Police.

An Ordinance

Making an Appropriation for lighting Delaware Avenue with Gas.

SECT. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the citizens of Philadelphia, in Select and Common Councils assembled,* That the sum of six hundred and fifty-two dollars and fourteen cents, together with the balance remaining to the credit of the appropriation for lighting Delaware Avenue, amounting to the sum of five hundred and forty-seven dollars and eighty-six cents, be, and the said sums amounting together to twelve hundred dollars, are hereby appropriated, under the twenty-second item of the will of Stephen Girard, for the purpose of lighting Delaware Avenue with gas, and for fitting and repairs incident thereto, for the year eighteen hundred and forty-nine. The said appropriation to be paid by the Commissioners of the Girard Estates upon the requisitions of the Committee on Police. *Provided,* That the price to be paid for gas shall not exceed that paid for the public lamps in the streets of the city.

APPENDIX, No. XVI.

To the Select and Common Councils :

The Committee on Police respectfully submit the annexed draft of an ordinance, making a temporary appropriation for

current expenses of police, in anticipation, and on account of the annual appropriation to their use for the year 1849.

Committee Room, Jan. 2, 1849.

CHARLES A. POULSON, *Chairman.*

WILLIAM MORRIS,

A. G. WATERMAN,

JOHN TRUCKS,

ROBERT HUTCHINSON,

JOHN P. WETHERILL,

J. B. LANCASTER,

Committee on Police.

An Ordinance

Making a Temporary Appropriation to the Committee on Police.

SECT. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia in Select and Common Councils assembled,* That the sum of Twenty Thousand Dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated for the use of the Committee on Police, which sum shall form a part of, and be deducted by the City Treasurer from the annual appropriation to said Committee on Police, for the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine.

APPENDIX, No. XVII.

To the Select and Common Councils :

The Board of Managers of Wills Hospital for the Indigent Lame and Blind, submit to Councils their Fifteenth Annual Report.

The expenses of the past year amounted to three thousand nine hundred and ninety-nine dollars and fifty-four cents, which were paid by orders drawn on the Committee of Legacies and Trusts, for the following purposes, viz :

For house expenses,	\$2,352 86
“ salaries and wages,	1,169 50
“ medical department,	271 56
“ repairs to real estate,	205 62

Total,	\$3,999 54
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The number of patients admitted during the year, including thirty-five who were in the house at the close of last year, was 226

The number discharged during the same period was 193

Leaving at present in the house, 33

Of those discharged there were cured, 146

relieved, 29

improved, 3

removed by request, 6

incurable, 6

eloped, 2

died, 1

193

Of the whole number, there were from

The United States, 100

Ireland, 98

England, 14

Germany, 10

Canada, 1

France, 1

Wales, 2

In all, 226

Total number admitted since the opening of the Institution, 1,722.

There have been thirty-two important surgical operations performed during the past year, ten of which were the means of restoring the inestimable blessing of vision, in cases where the sight had been lost by cataract.

Besides those who have received the advantages of the Hospital within its walls, there have been two hundred and forty-nine persons who have applied to the Surgeons as *out-door* patients on the regular prescribing days. Nearly all these have been afflicted with diseases of the eye, and have been furnished with advice and medicine gratuitously.

During the past year, the Steward has received from pay patients and other sources the sum of \$679 72, a larger amount than has ever before been produced in the same period. Thus proving that the advantages of the Institution, and the skill of its medical officers, are increasingly appreci-

ated by a class in the community who are able and willing to pay a moderate price for the benefits received.

Another proof of the celebrity of our Institution as an Eye Infirmary may be found in the fact that a number of medical students, who resort to this city from different parts of the Union, have sought the opportunities for instruction which is afforded by the great variety of cases presented in the wards, under the direction of our surgeons.

The Managers venture to express the opinion that there is no Institution in the city where the same amount of means is productive of more positive physical good ; and, in several annual reports, they have called attention to the fact that their sphere of usefulness might be greatly enlarged by donations or bequests from our wealthy citizens. In other hospitals, for the relief of human suffering, provision is made for the accommodation of people of color, who are at present excluded from our wards. This class are peculiarly liable, from privation and other causes, to be afflicted with diseases of the eye, and if the means were furnished for the erection of additional buildings on our spacious lot, this and other advantages might be secured, which would more thoroughly carry out the views of the benevolent founder of this charity.

Since our last annual report, the hand of Death has called away two of our colleagues, William Morrison and Robert Toland, both of whom manifested a warm interest in the Hospital. The former was selected by James Wills as one of his executors, and has been connected in the management of the Institution since its first organization.

In closing this report, the Board embrace the opportunity to express their renewed confidence in the faithful and judicious management of the household department, and their sense of the kind attentions and skilful treatment gratuitously bestowed by our physicians, with a fidelity and promptitude, which, while it has greatly contributed to elevate the character of the Hospital, must have produced its reward in the consciousness of well-doing.

Signed on behalf of the Board,

JNO. RODMAN PAUL, *President.*

DILLWYN PARRISH, *Secretary.*

Phila., 1st mo. (Jan.) 1st, 1849.

APPENDIX, No. XVIII.

The Committee of Finance submit the following resolution and ordinance, and ask their passage :

JOHN C. DAVIS,
JAS. R. GEMMILL,
WILLIAM MORRIS,
JOHN TRUCKS,
CHARLES GILPIN,
B. GERHARD.

Phila., Jan. 18, 1849.

Resolved, That the Mayor be authorized and directed on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Citizens of Philadelphia, to release from the lien of a judgment entered in the District Court for the City and County of Philadelphia, on the 15th day of June, A. D. 1848, to June Term, 1848, No. 42, in which the Mayor, Aldermen and Citizens of Philadelphia are plaintiffs, and Charles McCowen, Henry Sailor, and Sarah McCowen are defendants, the following described property, belonging to Henry Sailor, one of the said defendants, viz : All that certain messuage or tenement, and lot or piece of ground, situate on the east side of Delaware Sixth street, between High and Mulberry streets, in the City of Philadelphia, containing in breadth, north and south, twenty feet, and in length or depth ninety-six feet, bounded northward by ground now or late of William Haverstick, westward by ground now or late of Michael Herbert, southward by ground late of John Garrigues, and westward by Sixth street aforesaid, subject to a yearly rent charge or sum of one hundred and fifty dollars, payable in half yearly payments: *Provided*, the other defendants in said judgment consent thereto.

An Ordinance

To provide for the Payment of Money by the City Treasurer and Treasurer of the Girard Fund, in cases therein mentioned.

SECTION 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia in Select and Common Councils assembled*, That whenever the Mayor shall be absent from the City, or unable by reason of sickness or any other cause, to draw

warrants upon the City Treasurer, or Treasurer of the Girard Fund, for the payment of money, in such case warrants for said purpose shall be signed by the President of the Common Council for the time being; and the City Treasurer and the Treasurer of the Girard Fund shall pay all warrants so drawn on them as aforesaid. But such warrants shall in all cases be founded on a requisition of a Committee of Councils or of the Board of Commissioners of the Girard Estates as provided by existing ordinances: and such absence or inability of the Mayor shall be certified on the back of such warrants by the Clerk of Police.

APPENDIX, No. XIX.

An Ordinance

To authorize the sale of part of the Lot on which the Wills Hospital is built.

WHEREAS, James Wills, of the city of Philadelphia, by his last will and testament, bearing date the 5th day of May, A. D. 1823, did devise and bequeath to the Mayor, Aldermen and Citizens of Philadelphia, the residue and remainder of his estate, in trust, to purchase a sufficient plot of ground, in the said city or neighborhood, to erect thereon suitable buildings and accommodations for an hospital or asylum, to be denominated "The Wills Hospital for the Relief of the Indigent Blind and Lame," and to apply the income of such portion of the bequest as should remain after the purchase of such ground and the erection of said buildings, to the comfort and accommodation of indigent blind and lame: and, whereas, in execution of the said trusts, the said devisees purchased a plot of ground in the said city, bounded by Sassafras, Cherry, Schuylkill Fourth and Fifth streets, and, upon part thereof, erected the buildings aforesaid, and did and do continue to appropriate the income of such portion of said bequest, as remains unexpended, to the comfort and accommodation of the indigent blind and lame: and, whereas, a large portion of said lot is not occupied by the said hospital building, and is not necessary to the accommodation thereof, and the same is now valuable for building lots, and can be sold to advantage: and, whereas, it will accord more with the desire and intention of the said testator to accommodate and comfort as many of the

indigent blind and lame as the income of the sum for which the portion of said lot unbuilt upon can be sold will permit, than to allow the same to remain useless and unproductive—Therefore,

Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia in Select and Common Councils assembled, That the Committee on Legacies and Trusts be, and they are hereby authorized to sell, for the highest price they can obtain, for cash or upon securities of mortgages, any portion of the lot of ground, bounded by Sassafras, Cherry, Schuylkill Fourth and Fifth streets, not occupied by the Wills Hospital buildings; and to cause the city seal to be affixed to the deed or deeds conveying and assuring the same. And the said Committee shall invest the proceeds of such sale, if cash, in the loan of the city of Philadelphia, in trust, for the Wills Hospital; and, if in mortgages, shall cause to be expressed in said mortgage deeds that the same is in like trust, and shall apply the income of such investments to and for the use of the Wills Hospital aforesaid

GEO. R. FISHER,
EDM'D A. SOUDER,
JAS. J. BOSWEEL,
J. E. HAGERT,
S. J. CHRISTIAN,
A. J. DERBYSHIRE.

APPENDIX, No. XX.

Report of the Joint Special Committee, appointed December 7th, 1848, on the subject of Public Hygiene, (see Appendix, No 30, of the Select Council.)

APPENDIX, No. XXI.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE.

To the Select and Common Councils:

The Committee on Finance beg leave to present herewith a resolution and a bill relating to the City Treasurer and his office.

The recent large additions to the City Loans, and the in-

creased number of its holders, and of the transfer of it; besides the gradual accumulation of business in the other departments of the City Treasurer's office, has overloaded with duties that faithful and zealous officer. The room, too, appropriated to his use is so small as materially to embarrass him and his assistants in the transaction of their official business.

The Committee have, therefore, unanimously determined to recommend to Councils to meet, as far as practicable, both difficulties. The first, by a small increase of the Treasurer's salary, to enable him to employ, (at his expense,) if he needs it, another clerk; and, the second, by appropriating to his use the small room in the rear of his present office.

It is proper to add that the actual amount at present retained by the City Treasurer out of his salary, after the payment of his assistants, is \$500 a year, though he annually receives and disburses for the account of the city about \$600,000.

JOHN C. DAVIS, *Chairman.*

B. GERHARD,

WILLIAM MORRIS,

WM. G. MENTZ,

CHARLES GILPIN,

JAS. R. GEMMILL,

JOHN TRUCKS,

ISAAC ELLIOTT.

Phila., Feb. 1st, 1849.

Resolved, That the room lately occupied by the Mayor for a private office shall be hereafter appropriated exclusively for the use of the Committees of Councils; and the room in the rear of the City Treasurer's office shall be for the exclusive use and accommodation of the City Treasurer, and the Committee on Finance are hereby authorized to make such alterations therein and in the City Treasurer's office as they may deem expedient.

An Ordinance

To fix the Salary of the City Treasurer.

SECTION 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia, in Select and Common Councils assembled*, That the annual compensation to be allowed to the City Treasurer, for salary and clerk hire, shall be three thousand and six hundred dollars, to commence on the first day of January, 1849, payable quarterly, any ordinance to the contrary notwithstanding.

Passed February 1, 1849.

APPENDIX, No. XXII.

The Committee on Finance

REPORT—

To the Select and Common Councils :

The Committee on Finance present to Councils the following Statement, exhibiting the probable fiscal liabilities and available means of the City to meet the same, for the year 1849.

Liabilities, 1849.

Unclaimed Interest, due previously to January 1, 1849, - - - - -	\$2,080 60
Semi-annual Interest, due July 1, 1849, - - - - -	68,597 50
Semi-annual Interest, due January 1, 1850, less interest on Loan of \$100,000, due July 1, 1849, - - - - -	66,097 50
Interest on Coupons, due May 1, and November 1, including exchange on London Commissions, and State Tax, - - - - -	8,000 00
One per cent. Loan, May, 1838, and 1839, uncalled for, - - - - -	1,881 65
Six per cent. Loan, due January 1, 1830, uncalled for, - - - - -	200 00
Due, Trust Funds, - - - - -	1,135 62
Due, Sinking Fund, - - - - -	44,651 24

Appropriations to Standing Committees.

Watering Committee, - - - - -	30,825 20
Committee on Finance, - - - - -	35,000 00
Do Police, - - - - -	136,451 79
Do Public Highways, - - - - -	35,150 49
Do Cleansing, - - - - -	11,800 00
Do City Property, - - - - -	31,452 81
Committee on Legacies and Trusts, - - - - -	5,536 84
Annual appropriation to City Ice Boat, - - - - -	7,500 00
Sinking Fund, on account of City Ice Boat, - - - - -	1,000 00
Annual appropriation to Sinking Fund, \$36,000 00	
“ “ on acc't of Loans, 6,000 00	
	<hr/> 42,000 00

Amount carried forward, \$529,361 24

Amount brought forward,	\$529,361 24
Supposed amount to be appropriated for interest on new Loan, and the addition to Sinking Fund, - - - - -	63,000 00
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	\$592,361 24
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Means for 1849.

Cash in the Treasury, January 1, 1849, including the unexpended appropriations to Standing Committees for 1848, amounting to \$29,138 52,	\$97,744 14
Less, the semi-annual interest and arrears due this day, - - - - -	\$69,930 15
And outstanding drafts on Committees, - - - - -	596 37
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	70,526 52
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	27,217 62
Balance of Taxes of 1848, to receive, after deducting allowances and Commissions, - - -	62,629 00
Water Rents, - - - - -	115,000 00
Market Rents, - - - - -	35,970 00
Rental of City Property, - - - - -	22,650 00
Tobacco Warehouse, - - - - -	10,000 00
Contingent Money, - - - - -	4,500 00
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	277,966 62
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Total Liabilities, - - - - -	592,361 24
Total Means, - - - - -	277,966 62
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Leaving a deficiency to be provided for by Councils, - - - - -	\$314,394 62
To be met in part by a Tax on the Real Estate of the City, (assessed at \$58,000,000 or thereabouts,) of fifty-eight cents on every one hundred dollars, which will yield	\$336,400 00
And the personal Tax, - - - - -	7,108 00
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	343,508 00
From which deduct commissions and allowances, - - - - -	20,000 00
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	323,508 00
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It may be proper to present herewith a synopsis of the financial condition of the Corporation:—

The whole indebtedness of the Corporation by Loans, exclusive of the Gas Loans, and of the Loans to provide for the payment of the instalments on the subscription made by Councils to the Capital Stock of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, is - - - - - \$2,157,900 00

Add present amount of Loan for the last mentioned purpose, actually taken up on the 1st of January, 1849, \$600,000 00

Amount to be issued as required by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, - \$900,000

Less, the return by the Co. as for interest, estimated, - - 100,000

800,000 00

1,400,000 00

3,557,900 00

From which, to exhibit the real debt, must be deducted the amount of City Loans belonging to the Sinking Fund, January 1, 1849, - - - - - \$67,100

Since purchased for it, - - - - 44,200

111,300 00

\$3,446,600 00

The above amount of \$3,557,900, falls due at various periods, on an average annually of about \$76,000, after the present year, until 1876, when the yearly sum becoming payable, will be \$250,000.

The actual annual interest which will be payable upon these Loans, including those belonging to the Sinking Fund, but taking out the Loan of \$100,000, due the 1st July, 1849, is \$185,695.

To meet which the City has a present property income, as appears by the accompanying estimates, of \$188,120 00
Deduct the interest as above, - - - 185,695 00

And there will remain a surplus of - - \$2,425 00

It will at once be perceived, that, excluding the annual appropriation to the Sinking Fund, the present income of the City from its property and taxation, will be sufficient to meet

the whole interest upon all the present Loans to the City, including those held by the Sinking Fund, and also upon the additional \$1,000,000, which must be taken up whenever the contingent subscription to that amount to the Pennsylvania Railroad Company shall become absolute, besides paying all the current annual Municipal expenditures. The Committee would be unwilling to be misunderstood for a moment as treating the annual appropriation to the Sinking Fund as less obligatory in law and morals upon the City than the annual payment of the interest on the Loans. But it is not doubted, that before the additional subscriptions referred to can be called in, the City will have paid off a portion of its debt, and made accumulations on its Sinking Fund of about \$140,000, and that in the meanwhile the valuation, upon which its taxation is laid, will be increased so as to make the same rate more productive, and that its property will yield an increased revenue. So that in every aspect in which the subject can be viewed; and assuming that the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will not earn any dividends on their stock, though they confidently assert very much to the contrary, we need have no fears as to the financial condition of the City. It ought not, however, to be forgotten that the City has made an experiment not again to be repeated, which has almost crippled the Treasury, and which will demand from us the utmost vigilance, economy and retrenchment, until the City debt shall be completely extinguished, and our citizens shall be freed from taxation, at least for interest on debt. The provision to be made this year, in consequence of the subscription to the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, for interest, and addition to the Sinking Fund, is \$105,009: which is equal to the product of the tax of about 20 cents on the \$100, or in other words, had it not been for that subscription, the taxes this year would be about 38 cents on the \$100, instead of 58 cents on the \$100, which the Committee feel bound to propose.

But still there is little fear, under the worst aspect of our affairs, by care and economy in time, practically to attain freedom from City taxes. The point is not beyond our reach, and must be steadily presented in an intelligible form to our fellow citizens, so that they may watch over the expenditures of their servants.

The investments belonging to the Sinking Fund, besides the City Loans before referred to, are worth, at their present market value, it will be seen by the accompanying statement, \$134,492 26, and the whole amount of the investments of the Sinking Fund produce yearly about twelve thousand dollars.

A Loan of \$100,000 falls due on the 1st of July next, and the Committee having uninvested funds belonging to the Sinking Fund, anticipated the payment of \$42,400 of it, by purchasing the same for the Sinking Fund at par. The Committee has also exchanged \$2,000 of the Gas Loans belonging to the Sinking Fund, for an equal amount of the first mentioned Loan, leaving still to be paid on the 1st of July next, \$55,600, which amount can be readily paid out of the cash receipts this year on account of that Fund. The sale of the Lombard street lot, now in progress, under the direction of the Committee on City Property, will increase the Sinking Fund and its income; as the proceeds of this sale belong to the Fund. But still, in order to meet the Loans of the City as they fall due, it will be necessary after this year to increase the yearly appropriations to the Sinking Fund about \$9,000. By economy, the different Committees will readily save more than this sum, and as each loan is paid off the annual demand for interest will be reduced, so that this sum can almost at once be met out of the present appropriation for interest. No notice has been taken of the Gas Loans in the foregoing statement, as the interest on them is paid by the Trustees of the Gas Works out of the income of those works—which income is not only amply adequate to the payment of that interest, but also to accumulate a special Sinking Fund for the Gas Loans, and to extend the Works. Indeed the City has a valuable property in those Works over the amount of their cost, after deducting their Sinking Fund, which is invested chiefly in Gas Loans, and altogether in City Loans.

For the information of the Councils, a statement of the different Loans is annexed to this report.

The Committee report herewith a bill making the annual appropriations, and providing for means for meeting the appropriations.

JOHN C. DAVIS, *Chairman.*
B. GERHARD,
WILLIAM G. MENTZ,
JAS. R. GEMMILL,
ISAAC ELLIOTT,
JOHN TRUCKS,
WILLIAM MORRIS,
CHARLES GILPIN.

Phila., February 1, 1849.

Loans and Stocks belonging to the Sinking Fund.

	Par.	Pr. Ct.	Present value
State of Penn. 5 per ct. Loan, \$122,881 58	58	80	98,285 26
do 6 do 40,300 00	00	90	36,207 00
City 5 per cent. Loan, - - - 55,000 00	00		55,000 00
" 6 do - - - 2,100 00	00		2,100 00
" 6 do Gas Loan, - 10,000 00	00		10,000 00
West Phila. Canal Co. Stock, 5,000 00	00		
do do Loan, - 5,000 00	00		
Phila. Steam Tow Boat Co., 7,500 00	00		
Schuy'l Permanent Bridge Co., 1,536 60	60		
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	\$249,318 18		\$201,592 26
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MEMORANDUM.

Of the different Loans, to the Mayor, Aldermen and Citizens of Philadelphia, showing the date of Ordinances authorizing them—the period of their becoming due—and their respective amounts.

Loans bearing interest at 5 per cent. per annum.— Title of Ordinance.	<i>When Passed.</i>	<i>Redeemable.</i>	<i>Amount.</i>	<i>Am't cancel- led by Ordi- nance of May 9, 1839.</i>	<i>Total.</i>
For raising Supplies and making appropriations for 1835,	June 11, 1835	July 1, 1849	100,000		100,000
For permanent improvements, &c., in 1827, - - -	Sept. 20, 1827	July 1, 1850	57,600	17,600	40,000
For payment of certain debts, due in 1823 and 1824,	June 3, 1824	January 1, 1851	42,000	20,000	22,000
For the purchase of the whole of the Water Power at Fair Mount Dam, - - - - -	June 3, 1824	January 1, 1851	26,000		26,000
For Sanitary purposes, - - - - -	June 18, 1832	January 1, 1852	30,000		30,000
For Iron Pipes, for distribution of Water through the streets of the City, - - - - -	October 24, 1832	January 1, 1854	25,000		25,000
Do do do - - - - -	November 27, 1833	November 1, 1854	26,000		26,000
For permanent improvements, &c., - - - - -	May 5, 1825	January 1, 1855	23,000	4,200	18,800
For extending the Wharf and building Stores, and a Tobacco Warehouse at the Drawbridge, - - - - -	April 21, 1836	January 1, 1855	100,000	7,800	92,200
For Iron Pipes, for distribution of Water through the streets of the City, - - - - -	February 23, 1826	July 1, 1856	55,000	25,000	30,000
For permanent improvements, &c., - - - - -	August 3, 1826	January 1, 1857	41,000	2,300	38,700
For new reservoir, wheel, pump and main, at Fair Mount Works, - - - - -	Sept. 14, 1826	January 1, 1857	26,000	12,000	14,000
For Iron Pipes, for distribution of Water through the City, To provide for extraordinary expenses in 1826, and to supply deficiencies of 1825, - - - - -	March 22, 1827	July 1, 1857	50,000		50,000
For Iron Pipes, for distribution of Water through the streets of the City, - - - - -	January 15, 1827	July 1, 1858	33,500	13,500	20,000
	January 24, 1828	July 1, 1858	50,000	2,800	47,200
				Amount carried forward,	\$579,900

APPENDIX, No. XXII.

An Ordinance

Making Appropriations, and for raising Supplies for the year
1849.

SECTION 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia in Select and Common Councils assembled,* That the following sums be and the same are hereby appropriated to the several Standing Committees, for conducting the affairs of the Corporation, and for the payment of claims under the existing ordinances, for the year 1849.

No. 1.—TO THE WATERING COMMITTEE.

Incidental Expenses :

For the support of the distribution,	\$3,500 00	
Working machinery, fuel, &c., at		
Fair Mount,	2,800 00	
Payment of taxes on Fair Mount		
estate,	3,600 00	
Attendance on garden, mowing		
reservoir banks, &c.,	500 00	
General repairs at the works at		
Fair Mount,	500 00	
Salaries,	3,900 00	
Incidentals,	2,500 00	
	<hr/>	\$17,300 00

Permanent Expenses :

For Relaying the following streets with	
iron pipes (now laid with logs,) viz :	
Quince street from Spruce to Walnut.	
Clover street from Twelfth to Thirteenth.	
Lawrence street from Twelfth to Thirteenth.	
Mark's Lane from Eleventh to Twelfth.	
Dean street from Locust to Walnut.	
Marble street from Tenth to Eleventh.	
Warren street from Dean to Thirteenth.	
Lyndal street from Twelfth to Dean.	
Walnut alley from Juniper to Thirteenth.	
Centre alley from Eleventh to Twelfth.	
Amount carried forward,	\$17,300 00

Amount brought forward,	\$17,300 00
Sheaff's alley from Eleventh to Madison.	
Currant alley from Locust to Walnut.	
Franklin street from Race to Vine.	
Starr alley from Cherry to Race.	
Hoffman's alley from Cresson's alley to Race street.	
Branner's alley from Bryant's court to Vine street.	
Quince street from Lombard to Pine, with 3 inch iron pipes, and	
Race street from Schuylkill Eighth to Broad, with 6 inch pipes,	\$8,525 20
Transient pipes, where water may be wanted to supply new improvements,	5,000 00
	<hr/> 13,525 20
	<hr/> \$30,825 20
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No. 2.—TO THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE.

Unclaimed interest, due previously to January 1st, 1849,	\$2,080 60
Semi-annual interest, due July 1st, 1849,	68,597 50
“ “ “ January, 1st, 1850,	
less interest on loan, \$100,000, due July 1st, 1849,	66,097 50
Interest on coupons due May 1st and November 1st, including exchange on London, commissions, and State tax,	8,000 00
Unclaimed loans,	2,081 65
Salaries, and collectors of vaccine cases,	17,500 00
Printing, stationery and office charges,	7,500 00
Miscellaneous expenditures and contingencies,	10,000 00
Supposed amount to be appropriated for interest on new loan, and the addition to the Sinking Fund,	63,000 00
	<hr/> \$244,857 25
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No. 3.—To THE COMMITTEE ON POLICE.

For Pay of the Night Police :

4 Captains,	at \$600 per an.,	\$2,400 00	
4 Lientenants,	450 “	1,800 00	
4 Turnkeys,	365 “	1,460 00	
200 Policemen,	380 “	76,000 00	
			<hr/> \$81,660 00

Pay of Day Police :

4 High constables,	500 “	\$2,000 00	
34 Policemen,	400 “	13,600 00	
			<hr/> 15,600 00

Pay of Lamplighters :

4 Superintendents,	240 “	\$960 00	
57 Lamplighters,	120 “	6,840 00	
			<hr/> 7,800 00

Pay of Policemen in Mayor's office, &c. :

Clerk of Police,	\$800 00
1 Lieutenant of Police,	800 00
1 Second Lieutenant of Police,	700 00
2 Special constables at \$500,	1,000 00
1 Turnkey, Mayor's office,	360 00
1 Messenger,	360 00
Driver of prison carriage,	360 00
Watchman of City Hall,	216 00
2 Clerks High st. market at \$600,	1,200 00
2 Deputies and market watch-	
men at \$420	840 00
1 Clerk of Second street market,	500 00
1 Deputy and market watchman,	365 00
1 Clerk of Western market,	500 00
1 Deputy and market watchman,	365 00
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	8,366 00

For the purchase of gas, oil, lamps
and lamp-posts,

31,337 50

Pay of miscellaneous expenses,
including the cost of taking up
dogs, rewarding persons ac-
tive in bringing offenders to
justice, carpenters, bricklayers,
blacksmiths and plumbers'
work, and materials, prison car-
riage and horses, fuel and wa-
ter rents for station houses, &c.

6,500 00

Amount carried forward,

\$151,263 50

Amount brought forward,	\$151,263 50
From this amount deduct unexpended balance of the year 1848,	16,311 71
Less, amount of outstanding bills for 1848,	1,500 00
	<hr/> 14,811 71
	<hr/> \$136,451 79

No. 4. TO THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC HIGHWAYS.

For New paving,	\$10,000 00
Repaving,	3,000 00
Repairing streets and paving over water pipes	11,000 00
New culverts,	3,000 00
Repairs to culverts, inlets and cleaning culverts,	1,000 00
Repairs and labour on City Railroad,	4,000 00
Repairing Delaware Avenue,	3,000 00
Miscellaneous purposes, including gutter stone, flag stone, rent of City Surveyor's office, sala- ry of Assistant to City Surveyor, repairing pumps, private alleys, utensils, &c.,	4,000 00
	<hr/> \$39,000 00
Deduct balance to credit of Committee from ap- propriations for 1848,	3,849 51
	<hr/> \$35,150 49

No. 5. TO THE COMMITTEE ON CLEANSING THE CITY.

To complete the present contract, which expires March 2d, 1849, including the repurchase of the stock,	\$ 6,600 00
For payments on new contract, to January 1st, 1850, estimated at	4,500 00
Contingencies,	700 00
	<hr/> \$11,800 00

No. 6. TO THE COMMITTEE ON CITY PROPERTY.

For Market houses, for incidental repairs, &c.,	\$ 1,500 00	
Taxes on city real estate,	3,500 00	
Tobacco warehouse, salaries,	\$1,850 00	
“ “ incidental ex-		
penses, labourers, &c.,	3,500 00	
	<hr/>	5,350 00
Public wharves, incid'al. expenses,		
repairs,	\$2,000 00	
“ “ extending wharf at		
Vine street,	7,000 00	
	<hr/>	9,000 00
Permanent bridge, salaries,	\$ 720 00	
“ “ incidental repairs,	280 00	
	<hr/>	1,000 00
Public squares, Franklin sq'e. salaries,	\$810 00	
“ “ Independence “ “	450 00	
“ “ Washington “ “	810 00	
“ “ Rittenhouse “ “	350 00	
“ “ Logan “ “	350 00	
“ “ Penn “ “	350 00	
Incidentals for all the squares, in-		
cluding removing snow from		
around the same,	2,500 00	
	<hr/>	5,620 00
Salaries, Commissioner of City Pro-		
perty,	1,200 00	
“ City Carpenter,	900 00	
“ Superin'dent of State house,	425 00	
“ “ City Burial		
Ground,	250 00	
“ “ Public Clocks,	300 00	
	<hr/>	3,075 00
Incidentals, including repairs to real estate, fuel		
for public offices, and all other expenses not		
chargeable to any of the foregoing appro-		
priations,		3,000 00
Building a new Market house in Schuylkill		
Front street, between Pine and Lombard,	3,500 00	
	<hr/>	\$35,545 00
Less, unexpended balance of 1848,		4,092 19
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		\$31,452 81

No. 7. TO COMMITTEE ON LEGACIES AND TRUSTS.

For Appropriations to Fire Companies,	\$5,400 00	
Board of Engineers,	200 00	
	<hr/>	\$5,600 00
Incidental expenses in carrying out the various trusts under their care, including taxes on the Boudinot lands for 1848-49,		225 00
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		\$5,825 00
Less, unexpended balance,		288 16
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		\$5,536 84
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No. 8. TO THE TRUSTEES OF THE CITY ICE BOAT.

For Appropriation for their use by ordinance of March 1st, 1847,		\$12,000 00
Less, interest on loan, included in the estimate of the Committee on Finance, \$3,500 00		
And less annual appropriation to Sinking Fund,	1,000 00	
	<hr/>	4,500 00
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		\$7,500 00
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SECT. 2. *And be it further ordained and enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That for supplying the said appropriations, in addition to the sums set apart by existing ordinances, the City Commissioners be and they are hereby authorized and required forthwith to levy on the real estate, and upon pleasure carriages and horses within the City of Philadelphia, a tax of fifty-eight cents in the hundred dollars on the assessed value thereof, according to the last county assessment; and also to levy on the freemen of the City, a personal tax of seven thousand one hundred and eight dollars; which taxes so levied, and the sums appropriated by existing ordinances, shall be applied towards supplying the aforesaid appropriations.

APPENDIX, No. XXIII.

To the Select and Common Councils :

The Committee on Public Highways Report the annexed Bill relating to Water Street, and ask its passage.

Respectfully submitted,

SAUN. LEWIS, *Chairman.*

ALGERNON S. ROBERTS,

J. E. HAGERT,

JESSE GODLEY,

A. W. THOMPSON,

JAS. J. BOSWELL,

J. R. TYSON.

Phila. February 1, 1849.

An Ordinance

Relating to Water street.

SECTION 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia in Select and Common Councils assembled,* That the Committee on Public Highways be, and they are hereby authorized and directed to pay to Elizabeth Tremper the sum of two thousand five hundred and twenty-two dollars and twenty-five cents; to Margaret Stroup, Alexander H. Bryant and Mary his wife, late Mary Stroup, in right of said Mary, and Charles Emley and Adelaid his wife, late Adelaid Stroup, in right of said Adelaid, the sum of one thousand seven hundred and thirty-three dollars and thirty-three cents; to Martha Gorman, the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars; to William Kidney, the sum of one thousand and fifteen dollars; to Robert H. Large, Trustee of Susan Wahn Hartshorn, the sum of two thousand and seventy-six dollars, and to Isaac Hacker, Trustee of William T. Bladen, and Harriet B. Hacker, the sum of one thousand three hundred and seventy-six dollars and fifty cents. The said sums being the amounts awarded to the said parties respectively as damages for injury done to their property, situate in Water street between Sassafras and Mulberry streets, by the laying out of Water street anew, as appears by the report of a jury, filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions, on the 3d day of January, 1849.

SEC. 2. That the sum of ten thousand two hundred and twenty-three dollars and eight cents, out of the income of the fund appropriated under the twenty-second item of the will of Stephen Girard for the improvement of the eastern front of the city and Delaware Avenue, be appropriated for carry-

ing into effect this ordinance, to be paid in the manner that appropriations for Delaware Avenue are directed to be paid in the several ordinances relating thereto.

APPENDIX, No. XXIV.

To the Select and Common Councils :

The Committee on Public Highways, to whom was referred certain unfinished business of the Councils of last year, relating to the Culvert in Walnut street and Dock street,

REPORT—

That sundry Petitions relating to the said Culvert were presented to Councils of last year, and referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

That that Committee submitted to Councils a Report, (see Appendix of Journal of Common Council, No. 37,) with a Bill annexed, entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a Culvert in Dock street.”

A minority Report (Appendix Journal of Common Council, No. 38,) was also made, recommending that Walnut street be designated, as the most eligible street for the continuation of the present Walnut street culvert.

On the 27th April, 1848, Journal of Common Council, page 103, the subject being then under consideration, it appears that the Bill of the Committee was so amended as to provide for the construction of a sewer, to commence at the termination of the present Walnut street culvert at Dock street, and to extend along Walnut street to the river Delaware.

Information of the Report from the Committee, and the passage of the Ordinance, was given to Select Council, and as appears from the Journal of that body, the subject was agitated on several occasions, but not finally acted on.

The Committee now report a Bill similar to the aforesaid amended Bill, and entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a Culvert in Walnut street,” and recommend its passage.

Respectfully submitted,

SAUN. LEWIS, *Chairman.*
JESSE GODLEY,
JAS. J. BOSWELL,
J. E. HAGERT,
ALGERNON S. ROBERTS,
JACOB AMOS,
A. W. THOMPSON.

Phila. February 1, 1849.

An Ordinance

To authorize the construction of a Culvert in Walnut street.

SECT. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia, in Select and Common Councils assembled,* That the Committee on Public Highways cause to be constructed, by contract or otherwise, a culvert in Walnut street, to commence at the termination of the present Walnut street culvert at Dock street, and to extend along Walnut street to the river Delaware, with suitable openings in the same, and to be of a diameter not exceeding eight feet six inches in the clear.

APPENDIX, No. XXV.

ACCOUNT
OF
RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS,
AT
THE CITY TREASURY.

From January 1st, 1848, to December 31st, 1848.

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<i>January, 1848.</i>	<i>Dolls. C.</i>	<i>Dolls. C.</i>
By Appropriation 2, The Committee of Finance, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - - -	715 08	
By Appropriation 3, The Committee on Police, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - - -	352 86	
By Appropriation 4, The Committee on Public Highways, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - -	1769 32	
By Appropriation 5, The Committee on Cleansing the City, paid Mayor's orders, this month. - - -	700 00	
By Appropriation 6, The Committee on City Property, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - - -	3535 57	
By Appropriation 7, The Committee on Legacies and Trusts, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - -	13 32	
By Paul Beck, Jr.'s Legacy, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - - - - - - - -	500 00	
By Interest Account of the Fund to purchase fuel, By the Stockholders' Interest Account, paid sundry stockholders, this month, - - - - -	152 98	
	56205 44	63944 57
By Balance in the Treasury, - - - -		79558 89
		143503 46
<i>February, 1848.</i>		
By Appropriation 1, The Watering Committee, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - - -	643 84	
By Appropriation 2, The Committee of Finance, paid Mayor's orders. this month, - - - -	324 00	
By Appropriation 3, The Committee on Police, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - - -	7836 24	
By Appropriation 4, The Committee on Public Highways, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - -	839 65	
By Appropriation 5, The Committee on Cleansing the City, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - -	700 00	
Amount carried forward,	10343 73	

Cash Account of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Citizens

<i>February, 1848.</i>	<i>Dolls. C.</i>	<i>Dolls. C.</i>
Amount brought forward,	15850 00	79558 89
To James B. Beers, on account of taxes for 1847, received during the month, - - -	500 00	
To William Yard, ditto, ditto,	600 00	
To Thomas W. Blake, ditto, ditto,	525 00	
To William H. Wilson. ditto, ditto,	300 00	
To Richard W. M'Dowell, ditto, ditto,	1100 00	
To Robert H. Beresford, ditto, ditto,	600 00	
To Frederick A. Plummer, ditto, ditto,	1000 00	
To William Alexander, ditto, ditto,	1800 00	
To Sinking Fund, received Interest on State Loan,	4066 99	
To Registered Taxes, received from John H. Dohnert,	294 93	
To Commissioners of Girard Estates, received from Isaac Myer for rent, - - - -	150 00	
To Appropriation 2, received from Adam Traquair,	75 00	
To Appropriation 4, received from Trustees of Gas Works, - - - -	522 35	
To Appropriation 6, received from Adam Traquair,	150 00	
To Interest Account of the Fund to purchase fuel, received 6 months' dividend on Pennsylvania Bank Stock, - - - -	40 00	
To John Diehl, on account of rents, - - -	15016 52	
To Water Rents of 1848, received from George W. M'Mahon, - - - -	489 50	
	<hr/>	43080 29
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		122639 18
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<i>March, 1848.</i>		
To Balance in the Treasury, - - - -		109383 07
To Thomas Millar, on account of water rents for 1848, received during the month, - - -	2400 00	
To Edward P. Borden, ditto, ditto,	3300 00	
To Joseph K. Howell, ditto, ditto,	3000 00	
To George W. Gillingham, ditto, ditto,	2000 00	
To James J. Robbins, on account of taxes for 1847, received during the month, - - - -	900 00	
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Amount carried forward,	11600 00	109383 07

<i>February, 1848.</i>	<i>Dolls. C.</i>	<i>Dolls. C.</i>
Amount brought forward,	10343 73	
By Appropriation 6, The Committee on City Property, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - -	1473 03	
By Appropriation 7, The Committee on Legacies and Trusts, paid Mayor's orders, this month, -	6 50	
By Interest Account of John Scott's Legacy for useful inventions, paid Mayor's order, - - -	196 00	
By the Stockholders' Interest account, paid sundry stockholders, this month, - - - -	1236 85	
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By Balance in the Treasury, - - - -		109383 07
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		122639 18
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<i>March, 1848.</i>		
By Appropriation 1, The Watering Committee, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - - -	1381 71	
By Appropriation 2, The Committee of Finance, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - - -	7885 25	
By Appropriation 3, The Committee on Police, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - - -	15930 63	
By Appropriation 4, The Committee on Public High- ways, paid Mayor's orders, this month, -	456 58	
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Amount carried forward,	25654 17	

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<i>March, 1848,</i>	<i>Dolls. C.</i>	<i>Dolls. C.</i>
Amount brought forward,	25654 17	
By Appropriation 5, The Committee on Cleansing the City, paid Mayor's orders, this month, -	1633 33	
By Appropriation 6, The Committee on City Property, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - -	1573 43	
By Appropriation 7, The Committee on Legacies and Trusts, paid Mayor's orders, this month, -	100 00	
By Sinking Fund, - - - - -	22160 25	
By Funeral expenses of the Hon. John Quincy Adams, - - - - -	1000 00	
By the Stockholders' Interest Account, paid sundry stockholders this month, - - - - -	2023 65	
By Balance in the Treasury, - - -		54144 83
		80612 39
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		134757 22
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<i>April, 1848.</i>		
By Appropriation 1, The Watering Committee, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - - - -	2465 75	
By Appropriation 2, The Committee of Finance, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - - - -	745 51	
By Appropriation 3, The Committee on Police, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - - - -	9257 32	
By Appropriation 4, The Committee on Public Highways, paid Mayor's orders, this month, -	2344 88	
By Appropriation 5, The Committee on Cleansing the City, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - -	5035 10	
Amount carried forward,	19848 56	

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Cash Account of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Citizens

<i>May, 1848.</i>	<i>Dolls. C.</i>	<i>Dolls. C.</i>
Amount brought forward,	18177 22	94285 68
To Isaac Sulger, in full of taxes for 1847, - -	682 48	
To William H. Wilson, ditto, ditto,	383 67	
To Richard W. M'Dowell, ditto, ditto,	2050 06	
To Robert H. Beresford, ditto, ditto,	454 22	
To Frederick A. Plummer, ditto, ditto,	356 59	
To Thomas H. Allen, ditto, ditto,	273 08	
To William W. Watt, ditto, ditto,	330 89	
To Appropriation 4, received from Trustees of Philadelphia Gas Works, - - - -	110 95	
To John Diehl, on account of rents, - - - -	1850 00	
To Water Rents of 1848, received from George W. M'Mahon and Treasurer of Southwark,	18927 06	
		43596 22
		137881 90
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<i>June, 1848.</i>		
To Balance in the Treasury, - - - -		95003 69
To Thomas Millar, on account of water rents for 1848, received during the month, - - - -	2900 00	
To Edward P. Borden, ditto, ditto,	2000 00	
To Joseph K. Howell, ditto, ditto,	1800 00	
To George W. Gillingham, ditto, ditto,	2400 00	
To James J. Robbins, on account of taxes for 1847, received during the month, - - - -	500 00	
To Contingent Moneys received from sundry persons during the month, - - - -	1392 53	
To General Appropriation Account, received from Charles S. Smith, Treasurer of the Girard Estate, - - - -	6465 26	
To City Railroad, received from John Neff, - -	1096 02	
To John Diehl, on account of rents, - - - -	1070 00	
To Water Rents of 1848, received from George W. M'Mahon and Treasurers of Moyamensing and Girard Estates, - - - -	6485 00	
To Market Rents, received from Clerks of Market, - - - -	19 50	
		26128 31
		121132 00

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May, 1848.	Dolls. C.	Dolls. C.
Amount brought forward,	40121 95	
By Appropriation 7, The Committee on Legacies and Trusts, paid Mayor's orders, this month, -	206 25	
By Funeral expenses of the Hon. J. Quincy Adams, -	200 00	
By Sinking Fund, paid Mayor's orders, this month, -	1805 00	
By Thomas W. Blake, paid Mayor's order, this month, - - - - -	8 06	
By the Stockholders' Interest Account, paid sundry stockholders this month, - - - - -	536 95	
		42878 21
By Balance in the Treasury, - - - - -		95003 69
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		137881 90
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June, 1848.		
By Appropriation 1, The Watering Committee, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - - - -	4943 83	
By Appropriation 2, The Committee of Finance, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - - - -	4288 93	
By Appropriation 3, The Committee on Police, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - - - -	9220 02	
By Appropriation 4, The Committee on Public Highways, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - -	5238 09	
By appropriation 5, The Committee on Cleansing the City, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - -	420 00	
By Appropriation 6, The Committee on City Property, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - - - -	4290 90	
By Appropriation 7, The Committee on Legacies and Trusts, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - -	69 00	
By the Stockholders' Interest Account, paid sundry stockholders, this month, - - - - -	25 85	
		28496 62
By Balance in the Treasury, - - - - -		92635 38
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		121132 00
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July, 1848.		Dolls. C.	Dolls. C.
By Appropriation 1, The Watering Committee, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - - -	5395	54	
By Appropriation 2, The Committee of Finance, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - - -	1175	77	
By Appropriation 3, The Committee on Police, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - - -	12083	25	
By Appropriation 4, The Committee on Public Highways, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - -	5661	78	
By Appropriation 5, The Committee on Cleansing the City, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - -	428	50	
By Appropriation 6, The Committee on City Property, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - - -	5808	40	
By Appropriation 7, The Committee on Legacies and Trusts, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - -	1402	00	
By Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, paid Mayor's orders during the month, - - - -	8908	35	
By Expenses of Committee on Reception of Pennsylvania Volunteers, - - - -	1234	21	
By the Stockholders' Interest account, paid sundry stockholders, this month, - - - -	57166	55	
			99264 35
By Balance in the Treasury, - - - -			3925 78
			<u>103190 13</u>
August, 1848.			
By Appropriation 1, The Watering Committee, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - - -	2171	32	
By Appropriation 2, The Committee of Finance, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - - -	227	62	
By Appropriation 3, The Committee on Police, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - - -	10443	48	
By Appropriation 4, The Committee on Public Highways, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - -	3908	36	
By Appropriation 5, The Committee on Cleansing the City, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - -	520	00	
By Appropriation 6, The Committee on City Property, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - - -	2296	11	
By Appropriation 7, The Committee on Legacies and Trusts, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - -	2550	00	
By Trustees of the Ice Boat, - - - -	3000	00	
Amount carried forward,	25116	89	

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<i>August, 1848.</i>		<i>Dolls. C.</i>	<i>Dolls. C.</i>
Amount brought forward,		110428 98	3925 78
To Appropriation 4, received from Trustees of Philadelphia Gas Works, - - - - -		104 85	
To Interest Account of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, received interest, - - - - -		27475 00	
To Interest Account of the Fund to purchase fuel, received 6 months' dividend on Pennsylvania Bank stock, - - - - -		40 00	
To John Diehl, on account of rents, - - - - -		10040 00	
To Water Rents of 1848, received from George W. M'Mahon, - - - - -		625 00	
			148713 83
To Balance due Bank of North America, -			1256 63
			153896 24
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<i>September, 1848.</i>			
To Thomas Millar, in full of water rents for 1848,		36 65	
To Edward P. Borden, ditto, ditto,		395 98	
To Robert P. James, on account of taxes for 1848, received during the month, - - - - -		1000 00	
To Thomas W. Blake, ditto, ditto,		1500 00	
To Charles M'Cowen, ditto, ditto,		1200 00	
To James B. Beers, ditto, ditto,		4000 00	
To Robert H. Beresford, ditto, ditto,		2000 00	
To William Alexander, ditto, ditto,		1500 00	
To George W. Briggs, ditto, ditto,		1600 00	
To John K. M'Curdy, ditto, ditto,		1000 00	
To William Yard, ditto, ditto,		1500 00	
To Thomas H. Allen, ditto, ditto,		700 00	
To John Yard, Jr., ditto, ditto,		1200 00	
To Isaac Sulger, ditto, ditto,		1300 00	
To Frederick A. Plummer, ditto, ditto,		600 00	
To William H. Wilson, ditto, ditto,		300 00	
To Contingent Moneys, received from sundry persons during the month, - - - - -		898 95	
To Registered Taxes, received from John F. Deal, County Treasurer, - - - - -		526 16	
To City Railroad, received from John Neff, - - -		1050 87	
Amount carried forward,		22308 61	

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<i>August, 1848.</i>	<i>Dolls. C.</i>	<i>Dolls. C.</i>
Amount brought forward,	25116 89	
By the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, - -	127475 00	
By Interest Account of John Scott's Legacy of \$4,000,	220 00	
By the Stockholders' Interest Account, paid sundry stockholders this month, - - - -	1084 35	153896 24
		153896 24
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<i>[September, 1848.</i>		
By Balance due Bank of North America, - -		1256 63
By Appropriation 1, The Watering Committee, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - - -	4541 48	
By Appropriation 2, The Committee of Finance, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - - -	7767 67	
By Appropriation 3, The Committee on Police, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - - -	16426 89	
By Appropriation 4, The Committee on Public High- ways, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - -	5858 16	
By Appropriation 5, The Committee on Cleansing the City, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - -	420 00	
By Appropriation 6, The Committee on City Property, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - -	1706 61	
By Appropriation 7, The Committee on Legacies and Trusts, paid Mayor's orders, this month, -	1220 00	
By Trustees of the City Ice Boat, - - - -	4000 00	
By Expenses of Committee on Reception of Pennsyl- vania Volunteers, - - - -	202 50	
By Interest Account of the Fund for relief of yellow fever poor, - - - -	296 98	
A mount carried forward,	42440 29	1256 63

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September, 1848.		Dolls. C.	Dolls. C.
Amount brought forward,		22308 61	
To Paul Beck, Jr.'s Legacy, received from Paul Lajus,		250 00	
To John Diehl, on account of rents, - - -		1248 54	
To Water Rents of 1848, received from George W. M'Mahon, - - - - -		582 60	
To Market Rents, received from Clerks of Market,		10 50	
			24400 25
To Balance due Bank of North America, -			20204 27
			44602 52
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October, 1848.			
To Thomas W. Blake, on account of taxes for 1848, received during the month, - - - -		2550 00	
To John Yard, Jr., ditto, ditto,		1500 00	
To George W. Briggs, ditto, ditto,		1750 00	
To John K. M'Curdy, ditto, ditto,		3000 00	
To Thomas H. Allen, ditto, ditto,		1200 00	
To Robert H. Beresford, ditto, ditto,		2650 00	
To Frederick A. Plummer, ditto, ditto,		1000 00	
To Isaac Sulger, ditto, ditto,		2500 00	
To William H. Wilson, ditto, ditto,		2000 00	
To Charles M'Cowen, ditto, ditto,		1500 00	
To Richard W. M'Dowell, ditto, ditto,		2000 00	
To William Alexander, ditto, ditto,		1150 00	
To William Yard, ditto, ditto,		1900 00	
To James B. Beers, ditto, ditto,		2000 00	
To Robert P. James, ditto, ditto,		1800 00	
To Contingent Moneys, received from Frederick Graff, - - - - -		79 55	
To Rents of dwellings attached to Police Station Houses, - - - - -		60 00	
To Registered Taxes, received from William Yard,		18 88	
To Commissioners of Girard Estates, received from Isaac Myer, Agent, - - - - -		150 00	
Amount carried forward,		28808 43	

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<i>September, 1848.</i>		<i>Dolls. C.</i>	<i>Dolls. C.</i>
Amount brought forward,		42440 29	1256 63
By the Stockholders' Interest Account, paid sundry			
stockholders, this month, - - - -		907 60	
			43347 89
			44604 52
<i>October, 1848.</i>			
By Balance due Bank of North America, - - -			20204 27
By Appropriation 1, The Watering Committee, paid			
Mayor's orders, this month, - - - -		8415 52	
By Appropriation 2, The Committee of Finance, paid			
Mayor's orders, this month, - - - -		593 12	
By Appropriation 3, The Committee on Police, paid			
Mayor's orders, this month, - - - -		12864 20	
By Appropriation 4, The Committee on Public High-			
ways, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - -		4588 56	
By Appropriation 5, The Committee on Cleansing the			
City, paid Mayor's orders, this month, -		451 50	
By Appropriation 6, The Committee on City Property,			
paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - -		1142 48	
By Interest Account of the Fund for relief of yellow			
fever poor, paid Mayor's orders, this month, -		257 12	
Amount carried forward,		28312 50	20204 27

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October, 1848.	Dolls. C.	Dolls. C.
Amount brought forward,	28808 43	
To John Diehl, on account of rents, - -	4450 00	
To Water Rents of 1848, received from George W. M'Mahon, - - - - -	437 60	
		33696 03
To Balance due Bank of North America, - -		14976 84
		48672 87
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November, 1848.		
To William Alexander, on account of taxes for 1848, received during the month, - - -	2800 00	
To Frederick A. Plummer, ditto, ditto,	1900 00	
To George W. Briggs, ditto, ditto,	3400 00	
To Thomas W. Blake, ditto, ditto,	4100 00	
To William Yard, ditto, ditto,	4100 00	
To John Yard, Jr., ditto, ditto,	1600 00	
To William H. Wilson, ditto, ditto,	2700 00	
To Thomas H. Allen, ditto, ditto,	1800 00	
To Isaac Sulger, ditto, ditto,	2750 00	
To James B. Beers, ditto, ditto,	6000 00	
To John K. M'Curdy, ditto, ditto,	3500 00	
To Robert H. Beresford, ditto, ditto,	4650 00	
To Charles M'Cowen, ditto, ditto,	2300 00	
To Robert P. James, ditto, ditto,	2500 00	
To Richard W. M'Dowell, ditto, ditto,	1500 00	
To William W. Watt, ditto, ditto,	1000 00	
To Rents of dwellings attached to Police Station Houses, - - - - -	60 00	
To Fines and Penalties, received from Alderman Hudson, - - - - -	15 27	
To Pawnbrokers' Licenses, received from Abraham Nathans, - - - - -	25 00	
To John Diehl, on account of rents, - - -	2150 00	
To Water Rents of 1848, received from George W. M'Mahon, - - - - -	563 35	
		49413 62
		49413 62

October, 1848.	Dolls. C.	Dolls. C.
Amount brought forward,	28312 50	20204 27
By the Stockholders' Interest Account, paid sundry		
stockholders, this month, - - - -	156 10	28468 60
		48672 87
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November, 1848.		
By Balance due Bank of North America, - -		14976 84
By Appropriation 1, The Watering Committee, paid		
Mayor's orders, this month, - - - -	5131 73	
By Appropriation 2, The Committee of Finance, paid		
Mayor's orders, this month, - - - -	463 46	
By Appropriation 3, The Committee on Police, paid		
Mayor's orders, this month, - - - -	9746 14	
By Appropriation 4, The Committee on Public High-		
ways, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - -	4362 94	
By Appropriation 5, The Committee on Cleansing		
the City, paid Mayor's orders, this month, -	530 00	
By Appropriation 6, The Committee on City Pro-		
perty, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - -	3528 30	
By Appropriation 7, The Committee on Legacies and		
Trusts, paid Mayor's orders, this month, -	300 00	
By Trustees of the Ice Boat, paid Mayor's orders, this		
month, - - - - -	3000 00	
By the Stockholders' Interest Account, paid sundry		
stockholders, this month, - - - -	99 30	27161 87
		7274 91
By Balance in the Treasury, - - - -		
		49413 62

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<i>December, 1848.</i>	<i>Dolls. C.</i>	<i>Dolls. C.</i>
To Balance in the Treasury, - - - -		727 91
To William Alexander, on account of taxes for 1848, received during the month, - - -	8309 00	
To George W. Briggs, ditto, ditto,	9150 00	
To William H. Wilson, ditto, ditto,	14900 00	
To John Yard, Jr., ditto, ditto,	8800 00	
To Robert P. James, ditto, ditto,	12000 00	
To Richard W. M'Dowell, ditto, ditto,	8000 00	
To John K. M'Curdy, ditto, ditto,	12100 00	
To Thomas H. Allen, ditto, ditto,	5700 00	
To James B. Beers, ditto, ditto,	16500 00	
To Thomas W. Blake, ditto, ditto,	21300 00	
To Frederick A. Plummer, ditto, ditto,	4000 00	
To Isaac Sulger, ditto, ditto,	7950 00	
To William Yard, ditto, ditto,	11500 00	
To Charles M'Cowen, ditto, ditto,	6800 00	
To Robert H. Beresford, ditto, ditto,	7900 00	
To William W. Watt, ditto, ditto,	3820 00	
To Contingent Moneys, received from sundries, -	556 99	
To Fines and Penalties, received from Alderman John B. Kenny, - - - -	6 17	
To Appropriation 4, received from Trustees of Phila- delphia Gas Works, - - - -	331 40	
To City Railroad, received from John Neff, -	1107 01	
To Samuel Scottin's Legacy, received from Benjamin Long, - - - -	12 00	
To John Diehl, on account of rents, - - -	1751 50	
To Water Rents of 1848, received from George W. M'Mahon, - - - -	559 50	
To Market Rents, received from Clerks of Market,	9 75	
		163063 32
		170338 23

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December, 1848.	Dolls. C.	Dolls. C.
By Appropriation 1, The Watering Committee, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - - -	12147 38	
By Appropriation 2, The Committee of Finance, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - - -	5053 04	
By Appropriation 3, The Committee on Police, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - - -	28544 15	
By Appropriation 4, The Committee on Public Highways, paid Mayor's orders, this month, -	5294 09	
By Appropriation 5, The Committee on Cleansing the City, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - -	420 00	
By Appropriation 6, The Committee on City Property, paid Mayor's orders, this month, - - -	3038 96	
By Appropriation 7, The Committee on Legacies and Trusts, paid Mayor's orders, this month, -	196 77	
By Trustees of the Ice Boat, - - - -	7500 00	
By Sinking Fund, - - - -	10000 00	
By Interest Account of John Scott's Legacy, paid Mayor's orders, - - - -	60 00	
By Paul Beck, Jr.'s Legacy, paid Mayor's orders, -	250 00	
By the Stockholders' Interest account, paid sundry stockholders, this month, - - - -	89 70	
By Balance in the Treasury, - - - -		72594 09
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		170338 23

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Cash Account of the Trust Fund for the

1848.			<i>Dolls. C.</i>
Jan.	1,	To Balance in the Commercial Bank of Pennsylvania, - - - - -	424 31
	6,	To Interest Account, received 6 months' interest on City Loan, - - - - -	439 65
Feb.	8,	To Interest Account, received from the Philadelphia Exchange Company, 6 months' interest on \$50,000, at 5½ per cent., - - - - -	1375 00
Mar.	18,	To the Managers of the Wills Hospital, received from A. Widdifield for board of patients, - - -	164 09
April	17,	To Thomas W. Goldtrap's Legacy, received from J. W. Throckmorton and Samuel Jeanes, ex- ecutors, - - - - -	968 52
July	1,	To the Managers of the Wills Hospital, received from A. Widdifield for board of patients, - -	277 51
	8,	To Interest Account, received 6 months' interest on City Loan, - - - - -	496 50
Nov.	3,	To the Managers of the Wills Hospital, received from A. Widdifield for board of patients, - - -	238 12
	30,	To Interest Account, received from the Philadelphia Exchange Company, 6 months' interest on \$50,000 at 6 per cent., - - - - -	1500 00
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1848.			Dolls. C.
Jan.	21,	By the Managers of the Wills Hospital, paid order to A. Widdifield, - - - - -	598 65
Feb.	17,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	237 73
Mar.	16,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	261 18
April	21,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	324 13
	22,	By Six Per Cent. City Loan, paid order to C. Macal-ester, for a certificate of 6 per cent. Loan, -	995 00
May	20,	By the Managers of the Wills Hospital, paid order to A. Widdifield, - - - - -	257 55
June	23,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	476 16
July	12,	By the Managers of the Wills Hospital, paid order to E. Olmsted, - - - - -	2 00
	21,	By the Managers of the Wills Hospital, paid order to A. Widdifield, - - - - -	416 54
Aug.	19,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	382 62
Oct.	20,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	162 69
Nov.	27,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	292 38
Dec.	23,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	274 27
	30,	By Balance in the Commercial Bank of Pennsyl-vania, - - - - -	1202 80
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Cash Account of Dr. Benjamin Frank-

1848.			Dolls. C.
Jan.	1,	To Balance in the Commercial Bank of Pennsylvania, - - - - -	276 11
	6,	To Interest account, received 6 months' interest on City Loan, - - - - -	259 65
	12,	To John H. M'Calla, 1st instalment on his bond,	39 00
Feb.	16,	To George W. Jenkins, 3d ditto, ditto,	36 40
March	23,	To Benj'n Franklin Read, 2d ditto, ditto,	29 00
April	13,	To William M. Welch, 5th ditto, ditto,	33 80
	25,	To William Drysdale, Jr., 4th ditto, ditto,	27 00
May	15,	To Joseph A. Miller, 6th ditto, ditto,	32 50
	24,	To James S. Errickson, 7th ditto, ditto,	31 20
June	19,	To Benjamin G. Peck, 8th ditto, ditto,	29 90
July	8,	To Interest Account, received 6 months' interest on City Loan, - - - - -	273 90
Nov.	24,	To Benjamin R. Bacon, on account of his bond,	15 00
Dec.	18,	To George W. Jenkins, 4th instalment on his bond,	35 10
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lin's Legacy,—C. Stevenson, Treasurer.

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1848.			Dolls. C.
Feb.	7,	By Six Per Cent. City Loan, paid C. Macalester, per Mayor's order,	490 00
Aug.	19,	By Six Per Cent. City Loan, paid Gaw & Macalester, per Mayor's order,	400 00
Sep.	21,	By Interest Account, paid William Daugherty, per Mayor's order,	15 00
Dec.	30,	By Balance in the Commercial Bank of Pennsylvania, -	213 56
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			1118 56

Dr.

Cash Account of John Scott's

1818.			<i>Dolls. C.</i>
Jan.	1,	To Balance in the Commercial Bank of Pennsylvania, - - - - -	143 68
	6,	To Interest Account, received 6 months' interest on City Loan, - - - - -	89 45
May	16,	To Alexander H. Ailes, 2d instalment on his bond,	37 70
June	21,	To James Morrell, Jr., 6th ditto, ditto,	32 50
July	8,	To Interest Account, received 6 months' interest on City Loan, - - - - -	89 45
Aug.	16,	To Richard C. Harvey, 8th instalment on his bond,	29 90
Sep.	19,	To Miller H. Rink, balance of 5th, and amount of 6th and 7th instalments on his bond, - - - - -	64 60
			<hr/> 487 28 <hr/>

Legacy,—C. Stevenson, Treasurer.

CR.

1848.			Dolls. C.
Aug.	19,	By Six Per Cent. City Loan, paid Gaw & Macalester, per Mayor's order, - - - - -	390 00
Sep.	21,	By Interest Account, paid William Daugherty, per Mayor's order, - - - - -	10 00
Dec.	30,	By Balance in the Commercial Bank of Pennsylvania, - - - - -	177 28
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			487 28

E. E. City Treasurer's Office, December 30, 1848.

C. STEVENSON, *City Treasurer.*

APPENDIX, No. XXVI.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

CITY COMMISSIONERS,

FOR THE YEAR 1848.

CITY EXPENDITURES,

AUTHORIZED BY

COMMITTEES OF COUNCILS,

From January 1st, 1848, to December 31st, 1848.

1848.	No. 1. Watering Committee.	No.	Dolls.	C.
	CR.			
Jan. 1,	By Balance not expended from 1847,		5909	40
6,	By Appropriation by Ordinance, to be paid to the widow of Robert M'Brine, late in the employment of this Committee,		50	00
March 30,	By Appropriation by Ordinance of this date, . .		48124	95
			<hr/> 54084	<hr/> 35
	<i>Dr. For the following payments on requisitions of the Committee and orders of the Mayor.</i>			
Feb. 3,	To Frederick Graff, for distribution, iron pipes, water power, incidentals, and salaries,	1	643	84
March 2,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	2	631	71
	Ditto, for incidentals,	3	750	00
April 6,	Ditto, for distribution, iron pipes, water power, Fair Mount Works, salaries, and incidentals,	4	2465	75
May 3,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	5	1390	72
	Ditto, for incidentals,	6	951	50
June 7,	Ditto, for distribution, iron pipes, Fair Mount Works, water power and salaries,	7	4943	83
July 6,	Ditto, for distribution, iron pipes, salaries and incidentals,	8	1934	61
July 6,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	9	3460	93
	Amount carried forward,		<hr/> 17172	<hr/> 89

1848.			No.	Dolls.	C.
Aug.	3,	Amount brought forward, To Frederick Graff, for distribution, iron pipes, water power, Fair Mount Works, improvement of Biddle st. and salaries,		17172	89
Sep.	7,	Ditto, for distribution, water power, iron pipes, Fair Mount Works, and sala- ries,	10	2171	32
Oct.	5,	Ditto, for distribution, iron pipes, Fair Mount Works, water power, improve- ment of Biddle street, salaries, and incidentals,	11	4541	48
		Ditto, for Fair Mount Works, and distribution,	12	8163	52
Nov.	2,	Ditto, for distribution, iron pipes, water power, Fair Mount Works, salaries and in- cidental,	13	252	00
Dec.	7,	Ditto, for distribution, iron pipes, water power, Fair Mount Works, incidentals, sala- ries, and improvement of Biddle street,	14	5131	73
	29,	Ditto, for distribution, iron pipes, water power, Fair Mount Works, and incidentals,	15	7004	17
		Ditto, for distribution, iron pipes, Fair Mount Works, sala- ries, and incidentals,	16	2051	39
			17	3091	82
				49580	32
31,		To Account No. 1 for year 1849,		4504	03
				54084	35

1848.	No. 2. Committee of Finance.	No.	Dolls.	C.
	<i>Cn.</i>			
Jan. 1,	By Balance not expended from account of 1847,.....		170895	94
13,	By Cash received from A. Traquair, advanced to him to pay petty bills, January 13, 1847, and now repaid,.....		75	00
March 30,	By Appropriation by Ordinance of Councils of this date,.....		189923	10
			<u>360894</u>	<u>04</u>
	<i>Dr. For the following payments on requisitions of the Committee and orders of the Mayor.</i>			
Jan. 12,	To James Kelly, for collecting 64 vaccine cases, 3 months to 1st inst., S. E. district, at 25 cents, \$16; quarterly allowance by Councils, \$12 50,	1	28	50
	To Paxson, Sanderson & Killinger, for advertising in Daily News and subscription, 3 months to 1st December, 1847, per contract,	2	15	00
	To John Hewston, for collecting 122 vaccine cases, 3 months to 1st inst., S. W. district, at 25 cts., \$30 50; quarterly allowance by Councils, \$12 50; less excess beyond \$150 in 1847,.....	3	39	75
	To John Clawges, for collecting 109 vaccine cases, 3 months to 1st inst., N. E. district, at 25 cts., \$27 25; quarterly allowance by Councils, \$12 50,.....	4	39	75
	To John M. Fernsler, for collecting 73 vaccine cases, 3 months to 1st inst., N. W. district, at 25 cts., \$18 25; quarterly allowance by Councils, \$12 50,.....	5	30	75
26,	To Thomas Wallace, for 3 large city tax books and 17 duplicates, for 1848,.....	6	28	20
	To A. Traquair, for petty bills paid 3 months to 31st ult., for Committee,.....	7	48	13
31,	To Joseph Gatchel & Samuel Barry, for services as Messengers to City Treasurer and City Commissioners, January, 1848, at \$30 each,	8	60	00
	To John Neil, for salary as Superintendent of City Railroad, January, 1848,.....	9	50	00
Feb. 9,	To C. Stevenson, for discount at 2½ per cent. on sale of \$2711 relief notes,.....	11	61	00
	To Parkinson & Co., for ½ bushel of ice for offices City Hall, from 5th January, 1847, to 5th October, 1847, at \$2 20 per week, deducting Sundays,.....	10	33	00
	Amount carried forward,		<u>434</u>	<u>08</u>

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.
	Amount brought forward,		434	08
Feb. 24,	To A. Traquair, for advance to pay petty bills under \$10,.....	12	75	00
	To Tobias Huber, for supper, &c., for Committee,	13	45	00
29,	To John Neff, for salary as Superintendent of City Railroad, February, 1848,.....	15	50	00
	To Joseph Gatchel & Samuel Barry, for services as Messengers of City Treasurer and City Commissioners, February, 1848, at \$30 each,.....	16	60	00
March 15,	To Christ Church, for ringing bells 22d February, 1848, and on reception of the remains of J. Q. Adams, March 7, 1848, at \$30 each,.....	17	60	00
	To Crissy & Markley, for sundry printing and binding for City Councils, City Treasurer and City Commissioners, from July 16th, 1847, to March 8th, 1848,.....	18	146	73
18,	To Thomas H. Le Sage, for ringing bells of St. Peter's Church, February 22d, 1848, and on reception of the remains of J. Q. Adams, March 7th, 1848, at \$30 each,.....	20	60	00
22,	To Browns & Bowen, for bill of exchange on London at 10½ per cent., to pay interest on coupons,.....	22	3583	88
31,	To John Swift, for 3 months' salary as Mayor, due this day,.....	23	750	00
	To C. Stevenson, for do. as City Treasurer and for Assistant, do.,.....	24	687	50
	To Edward Olmsted, for do. as City Solicitor, do.,.....	25	250	00
	To Thomas Birch, Jr., for do. as Clerk of Common Council, do.,.....	26	200	00
	To Henry Helmuth, for do. as Clerk of Select Council, do.,.....	27	200	00
	To Adam Traquair, for do. of City Commissioners and City Clerk, at \$250 each, do.,...	28	1000	00
	To Samuel Hains, for do. as Principal City Surveyor and Regulator, do.,.....	29	375	00
	To M. T. W. Chandler, for 3 months' salary as Assistant City Surveyor, due this day,.....	30	250	00
	To William Daugherty, for do. as Messenger of Councils, do.,.....	31	125	00
	To R. R. Seldener, for do. as Vaccine Physician S. E. district, do.,.....	32	12	50
	To Laurence Turnbull, for do. do. S. W. do. do.,.....	33	12	50
	To A. S. M'Murray, for do. do. S. W. do. do.,	34	12	50
	To Thomas S. Harper, for do. do. N. W. do. do.,.....	35	12	50
	To E. R. Mayer, for do. do. N. E. do. do.,.....	36	12	50
	Amount carried forward,		8414	33

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.
	Amount brought forward,		8414	33
Mar.	31, To Ellerslie Wallace, for do. do. N. W. do. do.,	37	12	50
	To Richard Maris, for do. do. N. E. do. do.,...	38	12	50
	To R. P. Thomas, for do. do. S. E. do. do.,...	39	12	50
	To Joseph Gatchel and Samuel Barry, for services as Messengers to City Treasurer and City Commissioners, March, 1848, at \$30 each,.....	40	60	00
	To John Neff, for salary as Superintendent of City Railroad, March, 1848,.....	41	50	00
Jan.	1, To Stockholders of City Loans, for 6 months' interest paid them,.....		65366	34
April	6, To Crissy & Markley, for printing 300 large handbills for City Commissioners, \$25; 24 do. on writing paper and boards, \$2 50; 500 small do. for City Clerk, \$6; do. Journal of Select Council, from October, 1847, to April, 1848, \$332 47,.....	42	365	97
	12, To James Campbell, for City Constables, for expenses of spring Ward elections, 17 wards at \$6,.....	43	102	00
	To Hymen L. Lipman, for stationary for Councils, City Commissioners, and City Clerk, from January 8th, 1848, to March 25th, 1848,.....	44	19	54
	To Thomas Brown, for 2 quarter boxes of segars,.....	45	12	50
	To James Kelly, for collecting 58 vaccine cases, S. E. district, at 25 cents, \$14 50; quarterly allowance by Councils, \$12 50,...	46	27	00
	To John M. Fernsler, for do. 63 do., N. W. district, at 25 cents, \$15 75; quarterly allowance by Councils, \$12 50,.....	47	28	25
	To John Clawges, for collecting 102 vaccine cases N. E. district at 25 cts., \$25 50, and on account of quarterly allowance by Councils, \$12,.....	48	37	50
	To A. Traquair, for petty bills paid for Committee, 3 months to 1st inst.,.....	49	92	75
	29, To John Neff, for salary as Superintendent of City Railroad, April, 1848,.....	50	50	00
	To Joseph Gatchel & Samuel Barry, for services as Messengers of City Treasurer and City Commissioners, April, 1848, at \$30 each,.....	51	60	00
May	10, To John Hewston, for collecting 102 vaccine cases, S. W. district, at 25 cents, \$25 50; and on account of quarterly allowance by Councils, \$12,.....	52	37	50
	12, To George A. Lewis, for preparing South City tax book and duplicates for 1848,.....	54	125	00
	Amount carried forward,		74886	18

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.
	Amount brought forward,		74886	18
May	17, To Samuel W. Rush, for preparing Middle City tax book and duplicates for 1848, . . .	55	125	00
	24, To Isaac Patton, for preparing North City tax book and duplicates for 1848,	58	125	00
	To E. C. & J. Biddle, for writing paper for City Commissioners' office, from July 31, 1846, to April 22, 1848,	59	48	93
	31, To Joseph Gatchel and Samuel Barry, for services as Messengers to City Treasurer and City Commissioners, May, 1848,	60	60	00
	To John Neff, for salary as Superintendent of City Railroad, May, 1848,	61	50	00
June	14, To Joseph Gatchel, for attendance on Committees, 6 months to 30th inst., \$50, serving notices for City Solicitor, 6 months to 30th inst., \$30,	62	80	00
	23. To Lydia R. Bailey, for printing for Councils, Ordinances, Reports of Committees, of City Treasurer, City Commissioners, &c., and stationery, from October 13, 1847, to June 7, 1848,	63	375	00
	30. To John Swift, for 3 months' salary as Mayor, due this day,	64	750	00
	To C. Stevenson, for do. as City Treasurer, and for Assistant do.,	65	687	50
	To Edward Olmsted, for do. as City Solicitor, do.,	66	250	00
	To Henry Helmuth, for 3 months' salary as Clerk of Select Council, due this day,	67	200	00
	To Thomas Birch, Jr., for do. as Clerk of Common Council, do.,	68	200	00
	To Adam Traquair, for do. of City Commissioners and City Clerk, do.,	69	1000	00
	To Samuel Hains, for do. as Principal City Surveyor and Regulator, do.,	70	375	00
	To M. T. W. Chandler, for do. as Assistant, do do.,	71	250	00
	To William Daugherty, for do. as Messenger of Councils, do.,	72	125	00
	To R. R. Seldener, for do. as Vaccine Physician, S. E. district, do.,	73	12	50
	To Laurence Turnbull, for do. do. S. W. do. do.,	74	12	50
	To A. S. M'Murray, for do. do. S. W. do. do.,	75	12	50
	To Thomas S. Harper, for do. do. N. W. do. do.,	76	12	50
	To E. R. Mayer, for do. N. E. do. do.,	77	12	50
	To E. Wallace, for do. N. W. do. do.,	78	12	50
	To R. Maris, for do. N. E. do. do.,	79	12	50
	To R. P. Thomas, for do. S. E. do. do.,	80	12	50
Amount carried forward,			79687	61

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.
	Amount brought forward,		79687	61
June	30, To Joseph Gatchel and Samuel Barry, for services as Messengers to City Treasurer and City Commissioners, June, 1848, at \$30 each,	81	60	00
	To John Neff, for salary as Superintendent of City Railroad, June, 1848,	82	50	00
July	1, To Stockholders of City Loans, for 6 months' interest due this day,		66122	50
	6, To Crissy & Markley, for folding, stitching, and cutting Appendix, \$2 50, book of receipts for carriages, \$10, 3 quires bill heads for City Railroad, \$4, 500 handbills, Notices to Hacks, &c., \$3 75, printing 500 copies Minutes of Committee of 1793 (244 pages oct.,) \$270 30,	84	290	55
	To James Kelly, for collecting 60 vaccine cases S. E. district, at 25 cts., extra quarterly allowance by Councils, \$12 50,	85	27	50
	To John Clawges, for do. 64 do. N. E. district, at 25 cts., \$23 50, extra quarterly allowance by Councils, \$12 50, overplus due from last quarter, 50 cts.,	86	36	50
	To Charles A. Poulson, for cash paid for copying MSS., as Chairman of Joint Special Committee of Councils on Printing,	87	25	00
	To Jesper Harding, for advertising and subscription to Inquirer, 6 months to 1st ult., by contract \$30, extra allowance by Committee for one year previous to said date, \$40,	88	70	00
	To Graham & M'Michael, for do. North American, do.,	89	70	00
	To Paxson, Sanderson & Killinger, for do. Daily News, do.,	90	70	00
	To Hamilton & Forney, for do. Pennsylvanian, do.,	91	70	00
12,	To Christ Church for ringing bells 4th inst.,	92	30	00
	To John M. Fernsler, for collecting 50 vaccine cases N. W. district, 3 months to 1st inst., at 25 cts., \$12 50; extra quarterly allowance by Councils, \$12 50,	93	25	00
	To John Hewston, for do. S. W. district, 117 cases at 25 cts., \$29 25, extra quarterly allowance by Councils on account, \$8 25, ..	94	37	50
	To Crissy & Markley, for binding 10 volumes of Journal at 37½ cts., 10 do. in calf, at 62½ cts., 60 do. Minutes of Council at 20 cts., labels for do. \$1 25, for Library Committee,	95	23	25
	To Adam Traquair, for petty bills paid for Committee, 3 months to 1st inst.,	96	51	22
Amount carried forward,			146746	63

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.
Amount brought forward,			146746	63
July	31,	To Joseph Gatchel and Samuel Barry, for services as Messengers to City Treasurer and City Commissioners, July, 1848, at \$30 each,	99	60 00
		To John Neff, for salary as Superintendent of City Railroad, July, 1848,	100	50 00
Aug.	9,	To C. Stevenson, for discount on Relief notes, ..	101	54 22
	12,	To St. Peter's Church, per F. G. Smith, Warden, ringing bells 4th ult.,	103	30 00
	16,	To Robert Donnell, for candles, soap, &c., for offices City Hall, from January 8th, 1848, to June 12th, 1848,	102	10 15
	31,	To John Neff, for salary as Superintendent of City Railroad, August, 1848,	107	50 00
		To Joseph Gatchel and Samuel Barry, services as Messengers to City Treasurer and City Commissioners, August, 1848, at \$30 each,	108	60 00
Sep.	26,	To Browns & Bowen, for bill of exchange on London to pay coupons, due 1st November next, at 10½ per cent.,	110	3720 17
	30,	To John Swift, for 3 months' salary as Mayor, due this day,	111	750 00
		To C. Stevenson, for do. as City Treasurer and for Assistant, do.,	112	687 50
		To Edward Olmsted, for do. as City Solicitor, do.,	113	250 00
		To Thomas Birch, Jr., for do. as Clerk of Common Council, do.,	114	200 00
		To Henry Helmuth, for do. as Clerk of Select Council, do.,	115	200 00
		To A. Traquair, for do. of City Commissioners and City Clerk, do.,	116	1000 00
		To Samuel Hains, for do. as Principal City Surveyor and Regulator, do.,	117	375 00
		To M. T. W. Chandler, for do. as Assistant do. do.,	118	250 00
		To William Daugherty, for do. as Messenger of Councils, do.,	119	125 00
		To R. R. Seldener, for do. as Vaccine Physician S. E. district, do.,	120	12 50
		To Laurence Turnbull, for do. do. S. W. do. do.,	121	12 50
		To A. S. M'Murray, for do. do. S. W. do. do., ..	122	12 50
		To Thomas S. Harper, for do. do. N. W. do., ..	123	12 50
		To E. R. Mayer, for do. do. N. E. do. do.,	124	12 50
		To E. Wallace, for do. do. N. W. do. do.,	125	12 50
		To R. Maris, for do. do. N. E. do. do.,	126	12 50
		To R. P. Thomas, for do. do. S. E. do. do.,	127	12 50
		To Joseph Gatchel and Samuel Barry, for		
Amount carried forward,			154718	67

		No.	Dolls.	C.
1848.			154718	67
	Amount brought forward,			
	services as Messengers to City Treasurer and City Commissioners, September, 1848, at \$30 each,.....	128	60	00
Sep. 30,	To John Neff, for salary as Superintendent of City Railroad, September, 1848,.....	129	50	00
Oct. 2,	To Mary M. Wallace, for salary to 1st January next of the late Thomas K. Wallace, City Commissioner, per resolution of Councils of 28th September, 1848,.....	130	250	00
11,	To Adam Traquair, for petty bills paid 3 months to 1st inst.,.....	131	38	05
	To H. L. Lipman, for stationery for City Commissioners, City Clerk, and Clerk of Common Council, from July 3d, 1848, to September 27th, 1848,.....	132	12	82
	To John Clawges, for collecting 92 vaccine cases, N. E. district, at 26 cts., \$23, quarterly allowance by Councils, \$12 50,.....	133	35	50
	To George W. Harvey, for 1 year's services attending Library, due 30th ult.,.....	134	50	00
	To James Kelly, for collecting 53 vaccine cases, S. E. district, at 25 cts., \$13 25, quarterly allowance by Councils, \$12 50,.....	135	25	75
	To John Hewston, for do. 76 do. S. W. district at 25 cts., \$19, quarterly allowance by Councils, \$12 50, overplus due from last two quarters, \$4 75,.....	136	36	25
	To John M. Fernsler, for do. 39 do. N. W. district, at 25 cts., \$9 75, quarterly allowance by Councils, \$12 50,.....	137	22	25
31,	To Joseph Gatchel and Samuel Barry, for services as Messengers to City Treasurer and City Commissioners, October, 1848, at \$30 each,.....	138	60	00
	To John Neff, for salary as Superintendent of City Railroad, October, 1848,.....	139	50	00
Nov. 15,	To Crissy & Markley, for paper and printing Journal of Select Council, Appendix, and slips, from April to October, 1848, viz.: composing 114 pages L. P. at 75 cts., 44 do. Brev. at \$1 20, press-work 35 tokens at 50 cts., 6 reams paper at \$3 50, binding 200 copies at 37½ cts.,.....	140	249	55
	To Benjamin Rogers, for printing 700 whole sheets checks for Treasurer's office, \$8 75, do. do. in red ink, \$10 50, 3 reams fine paper at \$6, \$18,.....	141	37	25
	To Thomas Birch, Jr., for salary as Clerk of Common Council, October, 1848,.....	142	66	66
30,	To do. do. for do. November, 1848,.....	143	66	67
	Amount carried forward,		155829	42

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.
	Amount brought forward,		1558	29 42
Nov. 30,	To John Neff, for salary as Superintendent of City Railroad, November, 1848,	144	50	00
	To Joseph Gatchel and S. Barry, for services as Messengers to City Treasurer and City Commissioners, November, 1848, at \$30 each,	145	60	00
Dec. 13,	To M'Michael & Bird, for advertising and subscription, North American, 6 months to 1st inst. per contract,	146	50	00
	To Hamilton & Forney, for do. Pennsylvanian, do.,	147	50	00
	To Jesper Harding, for do. Inquirer, do.,	148	50	00
	To J. P. Sanderson, for do. Daily News, do., ..	149	50	00
	To P. E. Hamm, for keeping accounts of Committees, 1 year to 31st inst., per resolution of Committee of Finance, January 18, 1842,	150	50	00
	To Joseph Gatchel, for attendance on Committees, \$50, serving notices, for City Solicitor, \$30 each, 6 months to 31st inst.,	151	80	00
	To Lydia R. Bailey, for printing and stationery for Councils, from July 6th, 1848, to Dec. 2d, 1848,	152	156	20
	To Andrew Miller, for recording ordinances from July 3d, 1847, to Nov. 27th, 1848, ...	153	101	25
	To King & Baird, for printing ordinances from Nov. 20th, 1847, to Sep. 9th, 1848, \$17; do. Journal Common Council, 1847, 1848—composition, 322 pages at 75 cents, do. rule and figure, 120 pages at \$1 20, press-work 92 tokens at 50 cts., 17½ reams paper at \$3 50,	154	509	75
30,	To John Swift, for 3 months' salary as Mayor, due this day,	156	750	00
	To C. Stevenson, for do. as City Treasurer and for Assistant do.,	157	687	50
	To Edward Olmsted, for do. as City Solicitor, do.,	158	250	00
	To Thomas Birch, Jr., for 1 month's salary as Clerk of Common Council, due this day, ...	159	66	67
	To Henry Helmuth, for 3 do. do. as Clerk of Select Council, do.,	160	200	00
	To Adam Traquair, for do. of City Commissioners and City Clerk, do.,	161	1000	00
	To Samuel Hains, for do. as Principal City Surveyor and Regulator, do.,	162	375	00
	To M. T. W. Chandler, for do. as Assistant do. do.,	163	250	00
	To William Daugherty, for 3 months' salary as Messenger of Councils, due this day,	164	125	00
	Amount carried forward,		160740	79

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.
	Amount brought forward,		160740	79
Dec. 30,	To R. R. Seldener, for do. as Vaccine Physician S. E. district do.,.....	165	12	50
	To L. Turnbull, for do. do. S. W. do. do.....	166	12	50
	To A. S. M'Murray, for do. do. do. do.,.....	167	12	50
	To Thomas S. Harper, for do. do. N. W. do.,...	168	12	50
	To E. R. Mayer, for do. do. N. E. do. do.,....	169	12	50
	To E. Wallace, for do. do. N. W. do. do.,...	170	12	50
	To Richard Maris, for do. do. N. E. do. do.,...	171	12	50
	To R. P. Thomas, for do. do. S. E. do. do.,...	172	12	50
	To J. Gatchel and S. Barry, for services as Messengers to City Treasurer and City Commissioners, Dec., 1848, at \$30 each,...	173	60	00
	To John Neff, for salary as Superintendent of City Railroad, Dec., 1848,.....	174	50	00
			160950	79
31,	To Account No. 2, for year 1849,.....		199943	25
			360894	04
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No. 3. Committee on Police.				
		Cn.		
Jan. 1,	By Balance not expended from 1847,.....		9178	75
6,	By Temporary Appropriation by Ordinance, to be deducted from the Annual Appropriation to this Committee for the year 1848,.....		20000	00
Mar. 6,	By cash received from A. Traquair, advanced him January 19, 1847, and now repaid,....		200	00
30,	By Appropriation by Ordinance of Councils of this date,.....		136621	41
April 10,	By Appropriation by Councils for procuring two new station houses,.....		13000	00
			179000	16
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Dr. For the following payments on requisitions of the Committee and orders of the Mayor.				
Jan. 18,	To William P. Cresson, for 101 cast iron gas lamps at \$4 37½, less sample lamp returned, \$1 37½,.....	1	442	00
	To B. C. & S. C. Cooper, for making and trimming 27 great coats for city watch at			
	Amount carried forward,		442	00

		No.	Dolls.	C.
1848.	Amount brought forward,		442	00
	\$4 50, \$121 50, sundry repairs to 1 old coat, \$1,.....	2	122	50
Jan. 18,	To S. S. Kelly, for making 20 watchmen's coats at \$1 50,.....	3	90	00
	To Darius Hutchinson, for carting 6 loads iron lamp-posts at \$1, 2 days' hauling do. and with pavers at \$2, 1 load screened gravel, 62 cents, carting 11 one horse loads to and from sundry places at 25 cents, December, 1847,.....	4	13	37
	To S. & R. S. Wilson, for painting at station house George st. 1st story inside, 2 coats, \$13, glazing 3 lights glass, 87 cents,.....	5	13	87
	To Henry M'Menomy, for 1 quarter's rent S. W. watch house, due 9th inst.,.....	6	75	00
	To James English, for shoeing 2 houses for police carriage 5 times at \$2, steeling shoes, &c. \$3 25, from July 28th, 1847, to December 29th, 1847,.....	7	13	25
	To Enoch Thorn, for carpenter's work, 1 journeyman at \$1 50 2 days, 2 do. 16½ days at \$1 25, 1 labourer 2½ days at \$1, at police houses, watch boxes, taking up lamp posts, and making and repairing watch ladders from September 13th, 1847, to January 15th, 1848,.....	8	27	37
	To David C. Thorn, for repairing round watch box, 75 cents, do. and furnishing mortar, \$1, do. round lamp posts, 25 cents, do. at 35 places where lamp posts had been removed, at 25 cents, from September 3d, 1847, to December 13th, 1847,.....	9	10	75
Feb. 1,	To Orrin Bailey, for pay of watch and police, January, 1848,.....	10	6940	49
	To William Young for 1 quarter's allowance for house rent to date,.....	11	50	00
8,	To Commissioners of Girard Estate, for 3 months' rent to 31st ult. of S E. watch house,	12	45	00
	To Crissy & Markley, for printing 18 sets calendars for watch on Bristol boards, and 6 sets do. on paper,.....	13	16	00
	To J. Laudenslager, for cash paid for 8 racks for lighting calendars, at 50 cents,.....	14	4	00
	To J. Laudenslager for J. L. Rogers, for allowance for injury received on duty, \$14, do. for surgeon's bill, \$10, and for medicines, \$1 50,.....	15	25	50
23,	To John Swift, for advance to pay expenses of destroying dogs,.....	16	300	00
	Amount carried forward,		8189	10

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.
	Amount brought forward,		8189	10
Mar.	1, To Orrin Bailey, for pay of watch and police, February, 1848,	17	6678	24
	To John Hanned, for repairs of lamps S. W. district, 3 months to date,	18	56	25
	To H. Harberger, for do. N. W. do. do.,	19	56	25
	7, To N. Kohlenkamp, for do. N. E. do. do.,	20	56	25
	To Adam Traquair, for advance to pay petty bills,	21	200	00
	To Trustees of Philadelphia Gas Works, for gas 3 months to 1st inst., for 1267 street lamps, and for State house steeple and Per- manent bridge, at \$1 75 per 1000 feet, for city offices and station houses at \$2 50 per 1000 feet, less 5 per cent. for cash, \$8791 14, repairs, \$92 50,	22	8883	64
April	1, To Orrin Bailey, for pay of watch and police, March, 1848,	23	6956	04
	To Diehl & Duff, for 1763 gallons extra solar oil at 90 cts., less 1 ct. per gallon for empty casks returned,	24	1569	07
	To Eliza Farquhar, for 3 months' rent of George street police station house, due this day,	25	87	50
	To A. Traquair, for petty bills paid for Com- mittee, to date,	26	226	65
	To Jacob Bennett, for allowance for house rent, 3 months to date,	27	43	75
	To Sheridan & Kellogg, for keep of two horses for police carriage, 3 months to date, 91 days at \$1,	28	91	00
	18, To Burtman & Hanner, for 19 window frames for N. E. station house at \$2, carting 2 loads at 37½ cents,	29	38	75
	To Enoch Thorn, for carpenter's work, 8 journeymen, at \$1 50, 69 days, 3 do. 5½ days at \$1 25, 5 labourers 14½ days at \$1, for repairs of watch boxes and lamp posts, and at N. E. watch and police houses,	30	124	56
	To H. M'Menomy, for 3 months' rent of S.W. watch house, due 9th inst.,	31	75	00
	To Commissioners of Girard Estate, for 3 months' rent of S. E. watch house, due 1st inst.,	32	45	00
May	2, To O. Bailey, for pay of watch and police, April, 1848,	33	6821	84
	To Jacob Bennett, for 1 month's allowance in lieu of house rent, to 1st inst.,	34	14	58
	To William Young, for 3 months' do. do.,	35	50	00
	To D. Hutchinson, for 1 load of sand and			
Amount carried forward,			40263	47

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Amount brought forward,			40263	47
carting, \$1, carting 2 do. at 62½ cents, do.				
51 do. rubbish at 25 cts., 4 bushels lime at				
20 cts., all for N. E. station house; carting				
18 one-horse loads to and from N. W. station				
house at 25 cts., 1 do. lamps, 50 cts., 1				
do. from George street police house, 25 cts.,				
April, 1848,.....		36	20	05
May	2, To Enoch Thorn, for carpenter's work, 10			
	journeymen 93 days at \$1 50, at N. W.			
	and N. E. station houses.....	37	124	50
	To William H. Donchower, for making 264			
	lights of sash for N. E. section house, at			
	6½ cts.,.....	38	16	50
	To Jacob Laudenslager, for allowance by			
	Committee for services in preparing cal-			
	endar,.....	39	15	00
4,	To Elliott & Robinson, for Sarah James, for			
	purchase money of 2 houses and lots S. E.			
	corner of Sch. Eighth and Brighton streets,			
	for site of watch house,.....	40	8000	00
9,	To Benjamin M. Parris, for 100 maces for night			
	police at 55 cts.,.....	41	55	00
	To Edward Olmsted, for expenses of journey			
	to New York, in reference to title to prop-			
	erty in Union street,.....	42	11	00
	To Levin H. Smith, for allowance by Com-			
	mittee for extra services,.....	43	125	00
	To John Swift, for advance for expenses of			
	destroying dogs,.....	44	200	00
	To John Hance, for purchase of houses and			
	lot in Union street between Third and Fourth			
	streets, for watch house,.....	45	3500	00
16,	To Enoch Thorn, for carpenter's work, re-			
	pairs of N. E., N. W., S. E., and S. W. station			
	houses, 12 journeymen 120 days at \$1 50,			
	To John Thomason, for repairing lamps S. E.			
	district, 3 months to March 1, 1848,.....	47	56	25
	To Watering Committee, for water rent for			
	1848, of N. E. and N. W. station houses,			
	To J. T. & C. H. Roberts, plumber's work at			
	N. E. station house,.....	49	14	60
	To Elliott & Robinson, for drawing deeds,			
	making searches, and cash paid in purchase			
	of property for watch house,.....	50	24	75
	To Thomas Temple, for cash paid for materials,			
	and whitewashing and cleaning Fourth			
	district watch house,.....	51	20	00
22,	To John Swift, for advance to pay expenses			
	of destroying dogs,.....	52	350	00
Amount carried forward,			52996	12

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	Amount brought forward,		52996	12
May 30,	To Enoch Thorn, for carpenter's work 2 weeks, 11 journeymen 57½ days at \$1 50, 3 labourers 6½ days at \$1, at station houses, lamp posts, and dog house,.....	53	93	37
	To William Cowperthwaite, for plastering N. E. station house,.....	54	93	72
	To Fulton & Rainier, for repairs of prison carriage,	55	18	00
	To Samuel G. Butler, for painting and glazing at N. E., N. W., S. E. and S. W. station houses,.....	56	214	62
	To James Harper, Jr., for 700 common bricks at \$6 50, and 1500 back front do. at \$7 50, for N. E. station house,.....	57	15	80
	To David D. Thorn, for bricklaying at N. E. and N. W. station houses, and materials,...	58	109	68
	To Emerick & Binney, for gas fixtures at N. E. and N. W. station houses,.....	59	82	62
	To Finley & Co., for 120 single corn husk mattresses at \$1 60, 120 hair pillows at 70 cts., for N. E., N. W., S. E. and S. W. station houses,.....	60	276	00
31,	To Orrin Bailey, for pay of watch and police, May, 1848,	61	9532	44
June 6,	To H. Harberger, for repairs of lamps N. W. district 3 months to 1st inst., per contract,	62	56	25
	To John Harned, for do. S. W. district do.,...	63	56	25
	To J. Laudenslager, for 208 police badges at 75 cents,.....	64	156	00
	To D. Hutchinson, for carting 62 one-horse loads to and from State-house and shop at 25 cents, 7 do. iron lamp posts at 50 cents, May, 1848,	65	19	00
	To Trustees Philadelphia Gas Works, for gas 3 months to 1st inst., for 1277 street lamps at \$1 75 per 1000 cubic feet, to 25th May, and \$1 25 to 1st June, for market houses, Permanent bridge, and State-house steeple at \$1 75, and for city offices and station houses at \$2 50, less 5 per cent. for prompt payment—repairs and fixtures, &c., \$165 50,.....	66	7555	16
	To George Herrington, for paper hanging for N. E. watch house,	67	36	80
20,	To William P. Cresson, for 160 cast iron lamps painted and glazed at \$4 25,.....	68	425	00
	To Colwell & Co., for 5 iron pipes, 6 inches diameter, for S. E. station house, at \$6,....	69	30	00
	Amount carried forward,		71766	83

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	Amount brought forward,		71766	83
June 20,	To E. Thorn, for carpenter's work 3 weeks, 8 journeymen 93½ days at \$1 50, 2 labourers ½ day each at \$1 per day, at station houses, lamp posts, and watch box.....	71	141	25
	To Jacob Bennett, for 32 silver mounted canes for day police at \$3, mounting 2 maces for special constables, including sticks and engraving, \$24,.....	70	120	00
	To William Silcox, for 4 large mats for watch houses, at \$2 50,.....	72	10	00
	To William Ouram, for hinges, hooks, and bolt for N. E. and N. W. station houses,..	73	11	50
21,	To Eliza Farquhar, for rent of station house in George street to this date, and sum allowed for balance of term,.....	74	180	76
27,	To John Swift, for balance of appropriation for destroying dogs,.....	75	350	00
July 1,	To Orrin Bailey, for pay of watch and police, June, 1848,.....	76	9350	60
	To N. Kohlenkamp, for repairs of lamps N. E. district, 3 months to 1st ult., per contract, \$56 25, sundry repairs and tin ware furnished at N. E. watch house, \$6 88,....	77	63	13
	To A. Traquair, for petty bills paid 3 months, to date,.....	78	216	57
	To W. & F. Carpenter, for one half of party wall No. 94 Union street, (S. E. watch house,) as per annexed bill of valuation,.	79	70	01
	To Crissy & Markley, for sundry printing for Mayor's office, books of forms for Police, blank forms, handbills, book of requisitions and orders for Committee, &c., from December 15th, 1847, to May 18th, 1848,....	80	124	50
	To William Watson, for cleansing privy by contract at 96 Union street, (new S. E. station house,) \$15, permit, 50 cents,....	81	15	50
	To William H. Knight, for hardware for N. E. and N. W. station houses and for dog cellar, from February 7th, 1848, to May 29th, 1848,	82	50	27
	To Horton & Dickinson, on account of labour and materials in building new S. E. station house,	83	200	00
	To Charles D. Lybrand, for 28,000 paving bricks for S. E. station house, Union street, at \$7 50, 8,300 rough do. at \$5 50,....	84	255	65
	To William & John Forbes, for digging 151.2 cubic yards for cellar foundation, at 50 cts., 32.6 cubic feet for walls, at 62½ cts., and cleaning 28,000 bricks, at \$1 25, for new S. E. station house at No. 96 Union street,	85	130	97
	Amount carried forward,		83057	54

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	Amount brought forward,		83057	54
July	1, To William M'Elrea, for allowance by Committee for injuries received when on duty,	86	10	20
	3, To Enoch Thorn, for carpenter's work, 5 journeymen 43½ days, at \$1 50, at N. E. N. W., and S. E. station houses,.....	87	65	62
	11, To Do. for 10 journeymen 69½ days at \$1 50, for work at N. W. and S. W. station houses,	88	104	62
	18, To Harbert & Davis, for lumber for N. E., N. W., and S. E. station houses, from April 6th, 1848, to June 29th, 1848,.....	89	348	03
	To J. & J. B. Andrews, for do. for N. E., N. W., S. E. and S. W. station houses, from April 5th, 1848, to June 23d, 1848,.....	90	253	11
	To Thomas Williams, Jr. & Co., for lumber for N. W., S. E. and S. W. station houses, from April 20, 1848, to June 21, 1848,....	91	228	89
	To Jacobs & Kersey, for do. for N. E. and S. W. station houses, from April 5, 1848, to June 19, 1848,.....	92	34	57
	To Charles D. Lybrand, for 12,500 straight hard bricks at \$7 50, 4000 smooth salmon do. at \$5 50, for S. E. station house,.....	93	115	75
	To Samuel G. Butler, for sundry painting at N. E., N. W., S. E. and S. W. station houses, from May 30th, 1848, to July 7th, 1848,.....	94	20	52
	To Benjamin H. Pawling, for sundry smith work for N. E., N. W. and S. E. station houses and miscellaneous, from April 5th, 1848, to June 23d, 1848,.....	95	35	68
	To Emerick & Warner, for hardware for N. E. N. W. and S. W. station houses, and for general purposes, from April 17th, 1848, to to June 30th, 1848,.....	96	24	18
	To D. Hutchinson, for carting 53 one-horse loads at 25 cts., 2 do. gravel at 62½ cts., 14 do. at 56 cts., 1½ days horse and cart at \$2, for station houses, lamps, and miscellaneous, June, 1848,.....	97	24	50
	To H. M'Menomy, for 3 months' rent of S.W. station house, due 9th inst.....	98	75	00
	To Commissioners of Girard Estates, for 3 months' rent of S. E. station house, due 1st inst.,	99	45	00
	To Savery & Co., for 101 ladder bars for lamp-posts, 415 lbs. at 4 cts.....	100	16	60
	To Richard Dawson, for digging and furnishing stone for S. W. station house, on account,	101	30	00
	To Wright & Hunter, for gas fitting for do.,..	102	34	31
	Amount carried forward,		81524	12

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	Amount brought forward,		84524	12
July 18,	To R. W. Desilver, for stationery for Mayor's office and station houses, from January 4, 1848, to June 14, 1848,	103	44	90
	To Sheridan & Kellogg, for keep of two horses 3 months to 1st inst., for police carriage, \$91, repairs to halters, 50 cts., use of horse for prison carriage, 4 days at \$1,	104	95	50
	To Edward C. Mated, for cash paid on compromise with tenant of new S. W. station house,	105	12	60
	To John Thomason, for repairs of lamps, 3 months per contract, S. E. district, due 1st ult.,	106	56	25
29,	To George J. Weaver, for 74 lbs. flamm wick at 15 cts., portorage, 37 cts., 6 lbs. bell rope at 16 cts., from January 8th, 1847, to May 27th, 1848,	107	12	43
Aug. 1,	To Orrin Bailey, for pay of watch and police, July, 1848,	108	9241	00
	To James English, for shoeing 2 horses of police carriage 6 times at \$2, repairs, \$3 37, from January 1st, to June 30th, 1848,	109	15	37
	To Enoch Thorn, for carpenter's work, 11 journeymen 90 $\frac{1}{2}$ days at \$1 50, 4 labourers, 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ days at \$1, at S. E. and S. W. station houses, and removing watch boxes from streets,	110	145	12
	To Richard Dawson, for digging 80 cubic yards at 23 cts., 24.3 ft. at 62 $\frac{1}{2}$ cts., at wall, 22.3 perches of stone at 90 cents, half measuring charge, \$1 06, less \$30 paid on account,	111	24	72
	To John Swift, for advance for expense of destroying dogs,	112	400	00
2,	To Dr. G. Stewart, for medical attendance on persons at N. W. watch house, from December, 1845, to July 27, 1848,	113	10	00
8,	To J. Laudenslager, for 38 badges for day police at 75 cts.,	114	28	50
	To Robert Jeffries, for building stone wall at S. W. station house, 25 perches at 40 cts., underpinning old work, \$2 62,	115	12	62
	To D. Hutchinson, for carting 112 one horse loads at 25 cts., 4 loads screened gravel at 62 $\frac{1}{2}$ cts., horse and cart 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ days at \$2, carting 9 loads posts at 50 cts., July, 1848,	116	39	25
22,	To Enoch Thorn for carpenter's work, 13 journeymen 172 $\frac{1}{2}$ days at \$1 50, 3 labourers 20 days at \$1, at S. E. and S. W. sta-			
	Amount carried forward,		94661	78

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Amount brought forward,			9466	78	
Aug.	22,	tion houses, and removing watch boxes from streets,.....	117	278	37
		To Peter Bobb, for 22,600 hard bricks at \$6, 2500 salmon do. at \$5 50, 1000 stretchers at \$7, for S. W. station house,.....	118	156	35
Sep.	5,	To Charles A. Poulson, for advance for temporary insurance on station house No 1...	119	23	60
		To Orrin Bailey, for pay of watch and police, August, 1848,.....	120	9736	44
		To Trustees Philadelphia Gas Works, for gas 3 months to 1st inst.,	121	5436	54
		To Enoch Thorn, for carpenter's work, 11 journeymen 98½ days at \$1 50, and 4 labourers 6 days at \$1, at S. E. and S. W. station houses, and at removing watch boxes from streets,.....	122	164	25
		To John Young, for 8½ days' marble work at S. E. station house, at \$2, sawing stone, \$2 50, hauling cellar jambs, 50 cts., 1 piece of stone for grout, 50 cts.,.....	123	21	00
		To D. Hutchinson, for earthing 139 loads to and from sundry places at 25 cts., 42 do. watch boxes to shop at 37½ cts., 4 loads screened gravel at 56¼ cts., 1½ days' work paving round watch boxes at \$2, August, 1848,.....	124	52	40
		To John Harned, for repairing lamps S. W. district, by contract, 3 months to 1st inst.,...	125	56	25
		To H. Harberger, for do. N. W. district do do.,	126	56	25
		To John Thomason, for do. S. E. do. do.,	127	56	25
		To William Cowperthwaite, for plastering station house in Union st, per contract, \$129, sundry extra work at do. \$6 87.	128	135	87
19,		To Enoch Thorn, for ceapenter's work, 7 journeymen 63 days at \$1 50, and three labourers 5½ days at \$1, at S. E. and S. W. station houses, 2 weeks,	129	100	00
		To David C. Thorn, for laying 30,000 new and old bricks at S. W. station house at \$3, \$90, sundry other brick work and materials at do. \$87 02,.....	130	177	02
		To Cutler & Tizard, for taking down and hanging bell at S. W. station house, and use of blocks, falls, and hauling, \$22 50, do. at S. E. do., \$25 25,.....	131	47	75
		To George A. Whistler, for paving round 21 lamp posts after removal of boxes, at \$1 50, sundry other bricklaying, \$4 25,.....	132	35	75
Amount carried forward,			111195	27	

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	Amount brought forward,		111195	27
Sep. 19,	To Samuel G. Butler, for painting S. E. station house, \$105 64, sundry glazing and painting new sash at do., \$6 32, painting 65 Nos. at 12½ cts., \$8 12, gilding ball and vane, \$10.....	133	150	08
	To William H. Donchower, for making 138 lights sash for watch house on Sch. Eighth st., at 8 cts.,.....	134	11	04
	To N. Kohlenkamp, for repairing lamps N. E. district, per contract, 3 months to 1st inst.,	135	56	25
	To Edward Olmsted, for amount paid H. M'Menomy, balance of rent,.....	136	95	00
	To John Swift, for expenses of destroying dogs,	137	38	75
Oct. 3,	To Orrin Bailey, for pay of Day and Night Police, Sep. 1848,.....	138	9113	33
	To Enoch Thorn, for carpenter's work, 4 journeymen 44 days at \$1 50, 2 labourers 4½ days at \$1, at N. E., S. E. and S. W. station houses,.....	139	70	50
	To David C. Thorn, for sundry bricklayers' work at station houses Nos. 2 and 3, and repairing pavements where 52 watch boxes had been removed from streets, at 75 cents, from June 1st, 1848, to Oct. 3d. 1848,....	140	59	56
	To A. Traquair, for petty bills paid for Committee, 3 months to 1st inst.,.....	141	258	88
	To Charles D. Lybrand, for 3000 bricks for station house No. 1, at \$7 50,.....	142	22	50
	To Edward T. Randolph & Co., for 26 iron gas lamp posts at \$12 50,.....	143	325	00
	To E. Whelan, for sundry plumbers' work and gas fittings at station house No. 1, and Mayor's office,.....	144	154	99
	To Peter Bobb for 1800 best paving bricks at \$9, 1000 common do. at \$8, for station house No. 3,.....	145	24	20
	To John J. Wheeler, for 10 tons broken and screened coal for station house No. 2, and 10 do. for station house No. 4, at \$4,....	146	80	00
	To Henry Sailor, for 10 tons broken and screened coal for station house No. 4, at \$4,.....	147	40	00
	To William Cowperthwaite, for plastering and roughcasting station house No. 3, per contract, \$118. 5 loads sand for do. at 87½ cts., sundry extra work at do., \$8,.....	148	130	37
	To Horton & Dickinson, for bricklayers' work building station house No. 1, per measurer's bill, \$343 26, half measuring charge \$4 56, sundry materials, extra work, &c., \$110 74, less cash paid on account, \$200,	149	258	56
	Amount carried forward,		122084	28

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.
	Amount brought forward,		122084	28
Oct.	3, To W. H. Witman, for cash paid for furniture, &c., for Superintendent of lamplighters' office,.....	150	16	62
	To Sheridan & Kellogg, for keep of 2 horses for police carriage, 92 days to 1st inst., at \$1.....	151	92	00
	To M. Clemens, for sundry iron work at station houses Nos. 1 and 3, 491 lbs. at 10 cts., 141 lbs. at 14 cts., 6½ lbs. at 12½ cts.,.....	152	69	65
	To D. Hutchinson, for carting 59 one horse loads at 25 cts., 5 do. gravel at 50 cts., 4 bushels lime at 18 cts., to and from station houses Nos. 1 and 3, lamps and miscellaneous, Sept. 1848,.....	153	17	97
	To John Swift, for expense of destroying dogs,.....	154	39	78
31,	To Orrin Bailey, for pay of Day and Night Police, Oct. 1848,.....	155	9321	33
	To Enoch Thorn, for carpenter's work. 4 journeymen 15½ days at \$1 50, at station houses Nos. 1 and 3, lamp posts and watch ladders,.....	156	23	25
	To S. & R. S. Wilson, for painting at station house No. 3, 526 square yds. at 13 cts., 3 coats, 1176 do. 2 do. at 9 cts., 26 do. green at 25 cts., sash lights \$28 32, measuring at ½ per cent., 502 yds. at \$2 51, less 1 cent per yd. of 3 coat work, per contract,.....	157	226	35
	To Crissy & Markley, for sundry printing of forms for Police and Mayor's office, and binding, from May 29th, 1848, to Oct. 21st, 1848,.....	158	79	75
	To Harbert & Davis, for sundry lumber for station house No. 1, from July 5th, 1848, to July 25th, 1848,.....	159	114	93
	To Jacob Bennett, for cash paid for 43 barrels of charcoal for the 4 station houses, at 28 cents,.....	160	12	04
	To Henry Sailor, for 10 tons broken and screened coal for station house No. 3, at \$4,.....	161	40	00
	To Commissioners of Girard Estate, for 3 months' rent of No. 11 Comptroller street, S. E. watch house,.....	162	45	00
	To Diehl & Dufl, for 1646 gallons extra winter oil at \$1, less 1 cent per gallon for casks returned, \$16 46,.....	163	1629	54
	To J. Laudenslager, for cash paid for friction matches as per vouchers, \$15, portorage 25 cents,.....	164	15	25
Nov.	2, To Samuel Wallace, for sundry copper, tin, and lead work and materials, at station house No. 4,.....	165	146	96
	Amount carried forward,		133974	70

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	Amount brought forward,		133974	70
Nov.	21, To Enoch Thorn, for carpenter's work, 1 jour- neymen 5½ days at \$1 50, 2 do. 9½ days at \$1 25, 1 labourer ½ day at \$1, at station house No. 3, and watch ladders,.....	166	20	63
	To Samnel G. Butler, for sundry painting and glazing at station house No. 1,.....	167	17	75
	To Supplee & Forder, for repairing plastering, and materials, at station house No. 4,.....	168	25	00
	To William Cosfeldt, for making new striking apparatus for bells at station houses Nos. 1 and 3, and altering the same,	169	106	22
Dec.	5, To Trustees of Philadelphia Gas Works, for gas for 3 months to 1st inst., for 1286 lamps, at \$1 25 per 1000 cubic feet, do. for State- house steeple, Permanent bridge and Wash- ington square at \$1 25, do. for market houses at \$1 25, do. for city offices and station houses at \$2 25, less 5 per cent. for prompt pay- ment—repairs, fitting and setting up lamps, &c., \$152 50,.....	170	6938	09
	To O. Bailey, for pay of watch and day and night police, November, 1848,.....	171	8978	01
	To H. Harberger, for repairs of lamps 3 months for Police district No. 4, to 1st inst., per contract,.....	172	56	25
	To J. & J. B. Andrews & Co., for lumber from July 8th, 1848, to October 16th, 1848, for station houses Nos. 1 and 3, and miscel- laneous,	173	301	03
	To Emerick & Warner, for hardware from July 26th, 1848, to September 30th, 1848, for station houses Nos. 1 and 3,.....	174	23	68
	To Edward T. Randolph & Co., for 68 iron gas lamp posts, city pattern, at \$12 50,.....	175	850	00
	To Thomas Williams, Jr. & Co., for lumber from July 15, 1848, to October 6, 1848, for station houses Nos. 1 and 3,.....	176	223	28
	To Wright & Hunter, for plumbers' work and gas fittings, from July 11th, 1848, to October 6th, 1848, for station house No. 3,.....	177	110	71
	To F. Føring & Son, for a stove pipe, coal- scuttles, &c., for station house No. 2,.....	178	28	52
	To William & John Forbes, for 8 one horse loads rough gravel and hauling at 50 cts., carting 21 do. rubbish at 25 cts., 11 days' labour at \$1 12½, digging well 21½ feet at 62½ cts., at station house No. 1,.....	179	38	93
19,	To R. H. De-silver, for stationery for Mayor's office, from September 6th, 1848, to October 14th, 1848,.....	180	15	67
Amount carried forward,			151711	47

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.
	Amount brought forward,		151711	47
Dec. 19,	To John Thomason & Son, for covering with tin the roofs of station houses Nos. 1 and 2, covering steeple at No. 1 with copper, sundry repairs, tin work, &c., from April 20th, 1848, to October 16th, 1848, \$334 10, repairs of lamps 3 months, district No. 1, to 1st inst., per contract, \$56 25,.....	181	390	35
	To Benjamin H. Pawling, for smith work for station houses Nos. 1 and 3, and miscellaneous, from July 7th, 1848, to November 27th, 1848,.....	182	102	95
	To Edward T. Randolph & Co., for 6 iron gas lamp posts at \$12 50,.....	183	75	00
	To John Harned, for repairs of lamps district No. 3, 3 months to 1st inst., per contract,..	184	56	25
	To Baxter, Brothers, for hardware for station houses Nos. 2, 3 and 4, and miscellaneous, from July 6th, 1848, to October 4th, 1848,..	185	87	20
	To Joseph M'Cord, for pay as day policeman, November, 1848,.....	186	33	33
30,	To Orrin Bailey, for pay of day and night police, December, 1848,.....	187	10216	34
	To George J. Weaver, for chandlery, rope, sash cord, flam-wick, blocks, &c., for police station houses, from April 5th, 1847, to November 28th, 1848,	188	19	83
	To Sheridan & Kellogg, for keep of 2 horses for police carriage 92 days to 31st inst., inclusive, at \$1, \$92, use of horse to prison carriage 4 times at \$1 50, \$6,.....	189	98	00
	To Edward Whelan, for gas fitting for station house No. 4,.....	190	12	34
	To Adam Traquair, for petty bills paid for Committee, from 1st October last, to date,.....	191	306	41
	To J. Laudenslager, for services in preparing calendar,	192	15	00
			163124	47
31,	To Account No. 3, for year 1849,.....		15875	69
			179000	16

1847.	No. 4. Committee on Public Highways.	No.	Dolls.	C.
	CR.			
Dec. 29, 1848.	By cash received from A. Traquair, for 48 locust railroad sills sold, at 50 cents,		24	00
Jan. 1,	By Balance not expended from 1847,		77	81
6,	By Temporary Appropriation by Ordinance, to be deducted from the Annual Appropriation to this Committee for the year 1848,		3000	00
Feb. 4,	By cash received from Trustees Philadelphia Gas Works, for repaving over gas pipes 3 months,		522	35
Mar. 8,	By cash received from A. Traquair, balance not expended for petty bills and paving stone, of \$500 advanced him April 15, 1847, for paving stone, and now repaid,		55	44
30,	By Appropriation by Ordinance of Councils of this date,		42898	19
May 10,	By A. Traquair, received from Trustees Philadelphia Gas Works, for repaving over gas pipes 3 months,		110	95
Aug. 29,	By cash from Trustees Philadelphia Gas Works, for repaving over gas pipes 3 months,		104	85
Dec.	By Trustees Philadelphia Gas Works, for repaving over gas pipes, from July 8th, 1848, to October 14th, 1848,		331	40
			47124	99
	<i>Dr. For the following payments on requisitions of the Committee and orders of the Mayor.</i>			
Jan. 6,	To Charles Fox, for 26 days' service as Assistant at surveying and regulating at \$1 25, December, 1847,	1	32	50
	To A. Traquair, for City Commissioners' pay roll, labourers' and carters' wages 2 weeks, repairing streets, South district,	2	45	70
	To Crissy & Markley, for 2000 tickets for gravel at \$3, paper and printing 3 quires bill heads, \$4,	3	10	00
13,	To A. Traquair, for City Commissioners' pay roll 3 weeks, North district, and 1 week, South district, labourers and carters repairing pavements,	4	128	57
	To Thomas Lipsay, for 48 team loads gravel and hauling east of Broad st., 87½ cts., 5 do. west of do. at 64 cts., repairing streets, South district,	5	45	20
	To James Harper, for 8800 common paving bricks at \$7 50, for repairing streets and new paving \$66, 5000 do. sent to City shop at \$7 50, \$37 50,	6	103	50
	Amount carried forward,		365	47

1818.		No.	Dolls.	C'
	Amount brought forward,		1867	49
Feb.	3, To Enoch Thorn, for carpenters' and labourers' work, 2 journeymen 13½ days at \$1 25, 2 labourers 1 day \$1, at City Railroad, work at inlets, making pick-handles and repairing wheelbarrows, from Dec. 13th, 1847, to January 22, 1848,.....	21	17	87
	To John Neff, for work at City Railroad 2 weeks, 1 man 7 days at \$1 25, 2 men 3 days at \$1,	22	21	75
	To Isaiah Dickey, for repairs of pumps, from January 5, 1847, to December 27, 1847,...	23	85	95
	To John Lloyd, for 20 feet 8 in. inlet stone at 20 cts., 56 ft. 11 in. flagstone at 30 cts., 86 ft. 6 in. gutter stone at 20 cts., portorage 2 loads at 50 cts., stonecutter's work 1½ day at \$2,	24	42	50
	To Thomas Lipsay, for 41 team loads of gravel and hauling east of Broad st., at 87½ cts., 4 do. west of do. at 64 cts., for repairing streets,	25	38	43
	To Presley B. O'Neill, for 1½ doz. shovels at \$11 25, ½ doz. do. at \$10 50, for new paving,	26	22	12
	To Benjamin T. Traquair, for services in serving notices, collecting bills, &c., January, 1848, 31 days at \$1,.....	28	31	00
	To James Harper, Jr., for 9800 hard bricks for inlets at \$6 ; 1500 gutter bricks at \$8 25 ; 400 do. at \$8, for inlets, new paving and repairing streets,	29	79	27
	To P. H. Rowlett, for paving private footway, N. E. corner Locust and Schuylkill Seventh sts., 25 yards at 55 cts., half measuring charge 50 cts., property of Edgar H. Richards,	30	14	25
10,	To A. Traquair, for Commissioners' pay roll, labourers and carters wages 2 weeks, repairing streets,.....	31	140	90
	To John Neff, for work on City Railroad 2 weeks, 1 man 7 days at \$1 25, 2 men 13 days at \$1,	32	31	12
	To Thomas Lipsay, for 22 team loads of gravel and hauling, repairing streets east of Broad street, at 87½ cents, South district,.	33	19	25
	To Commissioners of Girard Estate, for 3 months' rent to 1st ult. of City Regulators' office,	34	75	00
	To Charles Fox, for assisting City Regulators, 26 days at \$1 25, January, 1848,.....	35	32	50
21,	To John Neff, for work at City Railroad 2 weeks, 1 man 11 days at \$1 25, 2 men 12 days at \$1,	36	25	75
	To Thomas Lipsay, for 20 team loads of			
Amount carried forward,			2545	15

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.
	Amount brought forward,		2545	15
	gravel and hauling, east of Broad street, at 87½ cts., for repairing streets,.....	37	17	50
Feb.	3, To P. H. Rowlett, for paving 30.62½ yards of foot pavement at 55 cents, \$16 82, half measuring charge 50 cents, in front of lot of Fuel Saving Society,.....	38	17	32
	To Benjamin T. Traquair, for services in serving notices, collecting, &c., 29 days at \$1, February, 1848,.....	39	29	00
	To A. Traquair, for petty bills paid 3 months to December 31, 1847, \$140 44.			
	To do., for cash paid for 55 team loads of paving stone at \$2 62½, 57 do. at \$2 25, 25 one horse do. at \$1 12½, \$304 12.			
	[The payment of the above two bills was approved by Resolutions of this Committee, Dec. 22d 1847, and Jan. 5th, 1848, out of the advance of \$500 made to A. Traquair, April 15, 1847, for purchase of paving stone.]			
Mar.	9, To Adam Traquair, for City Commissioners' pay roll, labourers and carters 4 weeks repairing streets,.....	40	133	52
	To John Neff, for work at City Railroad 2 weeks, 1 man 12 days at \$1 25, 3 men 18½ days at \$1,	41	33	50
	To Thomas Lipsay, for 24 team loads of gravel and hauling to public shop yard for repairing streets, at 87½ cts., South district,	42	21	00
	To Thomas Ramage, for 19 do. do. west of Broad street at 50 cents, 25 do. east of do. at 65 cents, for do., North district,.....	43	25	75
	To Charles Fox, for assisting City Surveyors 26 days at \$1 25, February, 1848,.....	44	32	50
23,	To Adam Traquair, for City Commissioners' pay roll, labourers and carters 2 weeks repairing streets, North district,.....	45	47	87
	To John Neff, for work at City Railroad 2 weeks, 1 man 11 days at \$1 25, and 2 men 14½ days at \$1,.....	46	28	25
	To A. M. & B. Jones, for 3 kegs of railroad spikes, 300 lbs. at 5½ cts., \$16, portorage 33 cents,.....	47	16	33
	To Thomas Lipsay, for 54 team loads of gravel and hauling east of Broad street at 87½ cts., 9 do. west of do. at 64 cts., for repairing streets, South district,.....	48	53	01
	To John Beatty, for 40 ft. granite stone for gutters at 44 cts.,	49	17	60
	To J. P. Roberts, for 3 months' services at City Surveyor's office, to 31st inst.,.....	56	16	25
	Amount carried forward,		3031	55

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.
	Amount brought forward,		3034	55
Mar. 23,	To Benjamin T. Traquair, for services serving notices, collecting, &c., March, 1848, 31 days at \$1,	51	31	00
April 13,	To Adam Traquair, for petty bills paid 3 months to 1st inst., \$103 72, and City Commissioners' pay roll, labourers and carters 2 weeks at repairing streets, and miscellaneous, \$474 43,	52	578	15
	To Do., for advance to pay bills for paving stone,	53	500	09
	To John Neff, for work at City Railroad, 1 man 17 days at \$1 25, 2 men 21 days at \$1, 2 weeks,	54	42	25
	To Thomas Lipsay, for 48 team loads of gravel and hauling east of Broad street at 87½ cents, 3 do. west of do. at 64 cents, for repairing streets, South district,	55	43	92
	To Thomas Ramage, for 61 team loads of gravel and hauling east of Broad street, at 65 cents, 28 do. west of do. at 50 cents, for repairing streets, North district,	56	53	65
	To A. M. & B. W. Jones, for 11 kegs railroad spikes, 1100 lbs. at 5½ cts., \$58 67, portorage 50 cents,	57	59	17
	To Enoch Thorn, for carpenter's work from January 22d, 1848, to April 8th, 1848, 1 journeyman ½ day at \$1 50, 4 do. 29 days at \$1 25, 4 labourers 7½ days at \$1, making fence, work at inlets and sewers, making and repairing wheelbarrows, making stakes for regulators, putting up index boards and putting in pick handles,	58	44	50
	To Commissioners of Girard Estate, for 3 months' rent to 1st inst., of office for City Regulators and Surveyors,	59	75	01
	To Hymen L. Lipman, for stationery for City Commissioners, City Solicitor and City Surveyors, from January 3d, 1848, to March 30th, 1848,	60	15	06
	To Charles Fox, for 26 days' services assisting City Surveyors, at \$1 25, March, 1848,	61	32	50
27,	To Adam Traquair, for City Commissioners' pay roll labourers and carters 2 weeks at repairing streets, and miscellaneous charges, ..	62	537	93
	To Enoch Thorn, for carpenter's work, 1 journeyman 4½ days at \$1 50, 1 do. 11½ do. at \$1 25, 2 labourers 6 days at \$1, at inlets and sewers, stone lot and making and repairing wheelbarrows,	63	27	12
	To John Neff, for work at City Railroad, 1 man 11½ days at \$1 25, 3 men 34 days at \$1, ..	64	48	37
	Amount carried forward,		5123	17

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.
	Amount brought forward,		5123	17
April 27,	To Thomas Lipsay, for 66 team loads of gravel and hauling east of Broad street at 87½ cts., 14 do. west of do. at 64 cts., hauling 98 do. paving stone at 75 cts., 14 one horse do. at 37½ cts., 18 do. at 25 cts., 1 do. 50 cts., for new paving, repairing streets and miscellaneous, South district,.....	65	150	46
	To Thomas Ramage, for 77 team loads of gravel and hauling east of Broad street at 65 cts., 23½ do. west of do. at 50 cts., hauling 52 do. paving stone at 75 cts., 3 days 1 horse and cart at \$2, for new paving and repairing streets, North district,.....	66	106	89
	To Joseph L. Keen & Sons, for 245 pointed cedar rails, at 10½ cts., 64 dressed posts at 25 cents,.....	67	41	72
	To Sanderson, Brothers & Co., for 126½ lbs. best steel for City Railroad, at 17 cents, \$21 51, cartage 25 cents,.....	68	21	76
	To Benjamin T. Traquair, for serving notices, inspecting paving stone, &c., April, 1848, 30 days at \$1,.....	69	30	00
May 11,	To Adam Traquair, for Commissioners' pay roll, labourers and carters 2 weeks at new paving, repairing streets and miscellaneous,.....	70	461	98
	To John Nell, for work on City Railroad 2 weeks, 1 man 11 days at \$1 25, 3 men 32½ days at \$1,.....	71	46	25
	To Benjamin H. Pawling, for smith work at City Railroad, from January 3, 1848, to April 25, 1848,.....	72	20	40
	To John Coyle, for do. from December 4, 1847, to May 5, 1848,.....	73	102	17
	To William M'Anaw, for smith work at City Railroad, from January 2, 1848, to April 12, 1848,.....	74	18	03
	To Archibald M'Donald, for do. from January 3, 1848, to April 27, 1848,.....	75	10	44
	To Henry O. Agnew, for smith work, repairing paving tools, from January 15, 1848, to April 28, 1848,.....	76	19	62
	To William F. Potts, for 7 cwt., 1 qr. 20 lbs. English railroad iron, at \$4 per cwt., and portorage,.....	77	30	21
	To Thomas Ramage, for 96 team loads of gravel and hauling west of Broad street at 50 cts., 52 do. east of do. at 63 cts., hauling 10 do. paving stone to Logan street at 75 cts., 1½ days horse and cart at \$2, for new paving and repairing streets, North district,.....	78	91	26
	Amount carried forward,		6274	27

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.
	Amount brought forward,		6274	27
May 11,	To Thomas Bogle, for hauling 11 one horse loads of stone at 37½ cts., 23 do. at 25 cts., 3 do. at 50 cts., for repaving, repairing streets, and miscellaneous, South district,...	79	11	37
	To D. Hutchinson, for carting 29 one horse loads at 25 cts., 7 do. at 50 cts., for inlets and miscellaneous, April, 1848,.....	80	10	75
	To Norris, Brothers, for 1040 lbs. castings "curves and frogs" for City Railroad, at 3½ cts., and cartage,	81	36	77
	To John Lloyd, for 812 feet flagstone at 30 cts., for repairing streets,.....	82	243	60
	To Charles Fox, for assisting City Surveyors 26 days at \$1 25, April, 1848,.....	83	32	50
12,	To Adam Traquair, for bills paid for 162½ team loads of paving stone at \$2 25, 26 do. at \$2 12½, 8 do. at \$2, 65 one horse do. at 62½ cts., and wharfage,.....	84	482	11
25,	To Do. for City Commissioners' pay roll, labourers and carters 2 weeks, at new paving, repairing streets, and miscellaneous,	85	493	38
	To John Neff, for work at City Railroad, 1 man 5½ days at \$1 50, 1 do. 11 days at \$1 25, 3 do. 32 days at \$1,.....	86	53	62
	To Thomas Mansfield & Co., for fixing inlet, \$2 50, hauling 1 load, 50 cents, 11½ feet curbstone at 45 cents, 614 feet flagstone at 30 cents, hauling do. at 3 cents,	87	220	69
	To Thomas Lloyd, for 184 feet 5 inches flagstone at 30 cts., 4 feet 2 inches gutter stone at 20 cents, for repairing streets,.....	88	57	35
	To Gates & Baird, for 54 feet flagstone at 30 cents, for repairing streets,.....	89	16	20
	To Thomas Collins, for 60 team loads of gravel and hauling east of Broad street at 78 cts., 91 do. west of do. at 60 cts., for repairing pavements, South district,	90	101	40
	To Thomas Ramage, for 93 do. east of Broad street at 62 cts., 27 do. west of do. at 50 cts., hauling 65 do. paving stone at 75 cts., do. 812 feet flagstone at 3 cts., for new paving and repairing streets, North district,.....	91	144	27
	To Thomas Lipsay, for 22 team loads of gravel and hauling east of Broad street at 87½ cts., 27 do. west of do. at 64 cts., hauling 38 team loads of paving stone at 75 cts., do. 66 feet flagstone at 3 cts., for new paving and repairing streets, South district,.....	92	67	01
	To Thomas Bogle, for 451 cubic yards of dirt			
	Amount carried forward,		8245	29

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.
Amount brought forward,			8245	29
and hauling at 4 cts., for new paving, South district,		93	18	04
May 25,	To James Harper, Jr., for 5000 hard bricks for gutters, repairing pavements, North district, at \$7 50,	94	37	50
To George Blackford, for bricklaying, repairing inlets and man-holes, setting curb, and paving round pumps, from January 9, 1848, to May 5, 1848, South district,		95	28	62
To William Lawrence, for pump work, from January 8, 1848, to May 13, 1848,		96	143	90
To Benjamin T. Traquair, for inspecting paving stone and serving notices, May, 1848, 31 days at \$1,		97	31	00
June 15,	To Adam Traquair, for cash paid for 326 team loads of paving stone at \$2 25, and 20 do. at \$2 12½, for new paving and repairing streets,	98	786	61
To Lane Schofield, for City Commissioners pay roll, labourers and carters 3 weeks at new paving, repairing streets, new sewer in Pine street, and miscellaneous,		99	632	31
To Thomas K. Wallace, for do. for repairing streets, sewer in Sch. Eighth st. &c,		100	380	35
To John Neff, for work at City Railroad, 1 man 6 days at \$1 50, 2 do. 24 days at \$1 25, 2 do. 31 days at \$1,		101	82	50
To Edward T. Randolph & Co., for sundry iron castings for inlets, 6900 lbs. at 2½ cts.,		102	188	50
To Thomas Collins, for hauling 105 team loads of paving stone at 75 cts., 12 do. at 50 cts., 148 do. gravel and hauling east of Broad street at 78 cts., 53 do. west of do. at 60 cts., for new paving and repairing streets, South district,		103	231	99
To Thomas Ramage, for 117 team loads of gravel and hauling east of Broad street at 62 cts., 38 do. west of do. at 50 cts., hauling 143 team loads of paving stone at 75 cts., for new paving and repairing streets, North district,		104	198	79
To George Snyder, for 26 900 hard bricks for sewer in Pine street east of Front street, at \$6,		105	161	40
To D. Hutchinson, for hauling 43 one horse cart loads to and from City Railroad at 25 cts., May, 1848,		106	10	75
To Charles Fox, for assisting City Regulators 26 days at \$1 25, May, 1848,		107	32	52
Amount carried forward,			11260	07

		No.	Dols.	C.
1848.			11200	07
	Amount brought forward,			
June 15,	To Charles D. Lybrand, for 20,000 hard bricks for sewer in Sch. Eighth street, at \$6,	108	120	00
29,	To Adam Traquair, for petty bills paid for Committee 3 months, \$186 49, cash paid for 64 team loads of paving stone at \$2 50, 201½ do. at \$2 25, 3 do. at \$2, \$619 37. City Commissioners' pay roll, labourers' and carters' wages 2 weeks, at new paving, repairing streets, new sewers, and miscellaneous, \$914 56,	109	1750	42
	To John Nell, for work at City Railroad 2 weeks 2 men 13 days at \$1 50, 2 do. 21 do. at \$1 25, 2 do. 24 do. at \$1,	110	72	12
	To Enoch Thorn, for carpenter's work 2 weeks, 1 journeyman 12 days at \$1 50, 1 do. 8½ do. at \$1 25, at sewers, stakes, index boards, &c.,	111	28	31
	To George Snyder, for 21,600 hard bricks for Pine street sewer, at \$6,	112	129	60
	To Charles D. Lybrand, for 4500 do. for sewer Sch. Eighth street, at \$6,	113	27	0 0
	To Thomas Collins, for hauling 166 team loads of paving stone at 75 cts., 32 do. at 50 cts., for new paving and repairing streets, South district,	114	140	50
	To Thomas Ramage, for 57 team loads of gravel and hauling east of Broad street at 62 cts., 51 do. west of do. at 50 cts., hauling 33 do. paving stone from Schuylkill at 50 cts., 35 do. from Delayware at 75 cts., North district,	115	103	59
	To Curtis & Hand, for 2½ doz. Ames' B. S. shovels No. 2, at \$10 25, 29 lbs. copper wire, ¾ inch, at 35 cts., for inlet castings, . .	116	33	21
	To John Lloyd, for one-half of 172 feet stone for tramway south side of Black Horse alley west from Front street, at 27 cents,	117	23	22
	To D. Hutchinson, for 1½ days' snigging stone at \$2 50, hauling 47 one horse loads to and from City Railway at 25 cts June, 1848, .	118	15	50
	To Benjamin T. Traquair, for inspecting paving stone, June, 1848, 30 days at \$1,	119	30	00
	To J. P. Roberts, for attendance at City Surveyors' office, 3 months to 30th inst.,	120	16	25
July 13,	To Adam Traquair, for cash paid for 137 team loads of paving stone at \$2 50, and 81 do. at \$2 25, \$527 25, Commissioners' bills for labourers' and carters' wages 2 weeks at new paving, repaving and repairing streets, new sewers, and miscellaneous, \$979 75,	121	1507	00
	Amount carried forward,		15196	79

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.
	Amount brought forward,		15196	79
July 13,	To John Neff, for work at City Railroad 2 weeks, 2 men 13 days at \$1 50, 2 do. 10 days at \$1 25, 2 do. 22 days at \$1,	122	66	50
	To George Snyder, for 7000 hard bricks for Pine street sewer at \$6,	123	42	00
	To Thomas Ramage, for 77 team loads of gravel and hauling west of Broad st. at 50 cts., 44 do. east of do. at 62 cts., hauling 32 do. paving stone at 75 cts., 69 do. from Schuylkill at 50 cts., for new paving and repairing streets, North district,	124	124	28
	To Thomas Collins, for 149 team loads of gravel and hauling east of Broad street at 78 cts., 19 do. east of do. at 60 cts., hauling 83 do. paving stone at 75 cts., for new paving, repaving, and repairing streets, South district,	125	189	87
	To Thomas Lipsay, for hauling 45 one horse loads of paving stone, from public lot to J. P. Wetherill's factory, at 40 cts., do. 479 feet flagstone at 3 cts., South district,	126	32	37
	To D. Hutchinson, for carting 19 one horse loads iron frames, &c., at 50 cts., 1 do. lime, 60 cts., 6 do. screened gravel at 62½ cts., 27 do. sundries at 25 cts., for new sewers, repairs of inlets, miscellaneous, June, 1848,	127	20	60
	To Henry O. Agnew, for repairing paving tools, from May 2d, 1848, to June 30th, 1848, North district,	128	50	69
	To John Agnew, for 24 pair of brass hinges for common sewers, 36½ lbs. at 28 cts., fitting up 24 joints at 30 cts., 12 iron poppet valves and fitting up at 50 cts.,	129	23	42
	To George Blackford, for laying bricks in Pine st. sewer, on account,	130	50	00
	To Harbert & Davis, for 1466 feet hemlock scantling, \$18 32, carting 2 loads, 50 cts., at Vine and Sch. Second, sts.	131	18	82
	To J. & J. B. Andrews, for sundry lumber for well curbs and Pine st. sewer, from April 11th. 1848, to June 21st, 1848,	132	16	20
	To Thomas Smith, for 252 feet railroad stone at 50 cts.,	133	126	00
	To Robbins & Verree, for 150 bars railroad iron, 104 cwt. 13 lbs., at \$65 per ton, less 5 per cent. off.	134	321	46
	To Charles Fox, for assisting City Surveyors 26 days at \$1 25, June, 1848,	135	32	50
	Amount carried forward,		16311	50

1818.		No.	Dolls.	C.
	Amount brought forward,		16311	50
July 13,	To George A. Whistler, for building Pear st. sewer, on account,.....	136	40	00
	To John Beatty, for 285 feet flagstone at 30 cts., 175 do. gutter stone at 20 cts., for repairing streets, North and South districts,..	137	120	50
	To John Lloyd, for 151 $\frac{3}{4}$ feet gutter stone at 20 cts., 159 feet 10 in inlet stone at 20 cts., 479 $\frac{1}{2}$ feet flagstone at 30 cts., 1 stonecutter 1 day, \$2, portorage, 4 loads at 50 cts.,....	138	210	16
27,	To Thomas K. Wallace, for City Commissioners' pay roll, labourers' and carters' wages 2 weeks, at new paving, repaving, repairing street and miscellaneous.....	139	1054	05
	To Enoch Thorn, for carpenter's work, 2 journeymen 13 $\frac{1}{4}$ days at \$1 50 1 do. 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ days at \$1 25, 1 labourer 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days at \$1, at City railroad, sewers and inlets, repairing wheelbarrows and crotchets, and pick handles, from June 26th, 1848, to July 24th, 1848,.....	140	33	25
	To John Neff, for cleansing and repairing City Railroad 2 weeks, 2 men 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ days at \$1 50, 2 do. 16 days at \$1 25, 2 do. 22 days at \$1,	141	56	25
	To Thomas Collins, for 227 team loads of gravel and hauling east of Broad st. at 78 cts., 35 do. west of do. at 60 cts., hauling 57 do. paving stone at 50 cts., 9 do. at 75 cts., South district,.....	142	233	31
	To Thomas Ramage, for 316 $\frac{1}{2}$ team loads of gravel and hauling west of Broad st. at 50 cts., 72 do. east of do. at 62 cts., hauling 26 do. paving stone at 75 cts., for new paving and repairing streets, North district,.....	143	222	39
	To Collins, Neveling & Hay, for building sewer and furnishing materials through new wharf, Mulberry st., Delaware,	144	450	00
	To James Harper, Jr., for 9,000 gutter bricks at \$8, 19,500 hard bricks at \$6, for repairing streets, repairs of inlets, &c., and new sewer in Pear street,.....	145	189	00
	To George A. Whistler, for building sewer and 3 inlets in Pear st., \$102, repairing 2 inlets, \$8, less paid on account, \$40,.....	146	70	00
	To David C. Thorn, for laying 24,500 bricks in sewer Sch. Eighth st. at \$2, extra for 2 inlets at \$5,.....	147	59	00
	To Benjamin H. Pawling, for sundry smith work, repairs of wheelbarrows, hinges for sewers and inlets, &c., from March 21st, 1848, to June 27th, 1848,.....	148	20	17
	Amount carried forward,		19069	58

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.
	Amount brought forward,		19069	58
July 27,	To Curtis & Hand, for 1 doz. Ames' No. 2 best steel shovels,	149	10	25
	To Francis Coughlin, for corporation and poor taxes, Moyamensing, 1848, on lot used as a depot by City Commissioners,	150	118	65
	To John Wallace, for state and poor do. do. less 5 per cent. on state tax,	151	78	50
	To Commissioners of Girard Estate, for 3 months's rent to 1st inst., of office of City Regulators and Surveyors,	152	75	00
	To Thomas Matlack, for 55 bushels of lime at 19 cents., and carting for new sewer Sch. Eighth st.,	153	11	20
	To Benjamin T. Traquair, for inspecting pavestone and serving notices, July, 1848, 31 days at \$1,	154	31	00
	To P. A. Rowlett, for assisting City Surveyors and Regulators 9 days at \$1 25,	155	11	25
Aug. 10,	To T. K. Wallace, for City Commissioners' pay roll, for labourers and carters 2 weeks, at new paving, repaving, repairing streets, and miscellaneous, \$638 55, cash paid for 30 team loads of paving stone at \$2 50, 61 do. at \$2 25, \$212 25,	156	850	80
	To John Neff, for work at City Railroad 2 weeks, 1 paver $\frac{1}{2}$ day at \$1 50, 2 men $22\frac{1}{2}$ days at \$1 25, 2 do. $22\frac{1}{2}$ days at \$1,	157	5	37
	To Thomas Ramage, for $108\frac{1}{2}$ team loads of gravel and hauling west of Broad st. at 50 cts., 50 do. east of do. at 62 cts., hauling 12 do. paving st. ne at 50 cts., North district,	158	91	25
	To Thomas Collins, for 98 team loads of gravel and hauling at 78 cts., east of Broad st., 23 do. west of do. at 60 cts., hauling 107 do. paving stone at 50 cts., hauling 600 feet flagstone at 3 cts., for new paving and repairing streets, South district,	159	162	34
	To John Beatty, for 683 feet gutter stone and hauling at 22 cts., hauling 175 feet do. at 2 cts., for repaving and repairing streets, South district,	160	153	76
	To James Buchanan, for 5,000 paving bricks to public shop for repairing gutters, South district, at \$8,	161	40	00
	To George Blackford, for arching and paving over 3 pumps at \$3, paving round 5 pumps at \$1, building and repairing inlets, \$19 50, building sewer in Pine street from west side of Front st. to Delaware, including 6 inlets \$135, less \$50 paid on account,	162	127	50
	Amount carried forward.		20882	45

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.
	Amount brought forward,		20882	45
Aug. 10,	To D. Hutchinson, for carting 72 one horse loads at 25 cts., 1 load screened gravel 62½ cts., for new sewer in Pine st., repairs of inlets, and miscellaneous, July, 1848,.....	163	28	62
	To Charles Fox, for assisting City Surveyors 26 days at \$1 25, July, 1848,.....	164	32	50
24,	To A. Traquair, for City Commissioners' pay roll, labourers and carters 2 weeks, at new paving and repairing streets and miscellaneous, \$770 23, cash paid for 194 team loads of paving stone at \$2 50, 8 do. at \$2 25, 12 one horse cart loads at 62½ cts., for new paving and repairing streets, \$500 50,....	165	1280	73
	To Benjamin H. Pawling, for smith work for pumps, from November 23d, 1847, to June 21st, 1848, \$7 90, do. making and repairing paving tools, South district, from November 1st, 1847, to August 11th, 1848, \$162 57,...	166	182	72
	To John Neff, for cleansing and repairing City Railroad, 2 men 18½ days at \$1 50, 2 men 33 days at \$1 25, 4 men 42 days at \$1, 3 weeks,.....	167	70	25
	To Thomas Ramage, for 341 team loads of gravel and hauling at 50 cts, west of Broad st., 56 do. east of Broad st. at 62 cts., hauling 8 do. paving stone at 75 cts., from Delaware, 60 do. from Schuylkill at 50 cts., for new paving and repairing streets, North district,.....	168	241	22
	To Thomas Collins, for 120 team loads of gravel and hauling east of Broad st. at 78 cts., 449 do. west of do. at 60 cts., hauling 38 do. paving stone at 50 cts., North district,	169	164	94
	To Peter Bobb, for 9,600 paving bricks at carpenter's shop at \$8, for new paving and repairing streets, South district,.....	170	72	70
	To John Lloyd, for 600 ft. flagstone at 30 cts., for new paving and repairing streets, North and South districts,.....	171	180	00
	To James M'Anall, for wharfage of 196 team loads paving stone at 6½ cts.,.....	172	12	25
	To Pleasant H. Rowlett, for assisting City Surveyors 13½ days at \$1 25,.....	173	16	87
	To Benjamin T. Traquair, for inspecting paving stone, serving notices, &c., 31 days at \$1, August, 1848,.....	174	31	00
Sep. 14,	To Adam Traquair, for City Commissioners' pay roll, labourers and carters 3 weeks at new paving, repairing streets, and new sewers,	175	1639	93
	Amount carried forward,		24836	18

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.
	Amount brought forward,		24836	18
Sep. 14,	To John Neff, for cleansing and repairing City Railroad 3 weeks, 2 men 11½ days at \$1 50, 2 do. 26 days at \$1 25, 4 do. 42 days at \$1,	176	111	00
	To Enoch Thorn, for carpenter's work, 2 journeymen 13½ days at \$1 50, 1 do. 8¾ days at \$1 25, at inlets and sewers, and repairing wheelbarrows and crotchets,	177	36	19
	To Thomas Ramage, for 361 team loads of gravel and hauling at 50 cts., west of Broad street, for new paving, 51 do. east of do. for repairing streets, North district,	178	213	62
	To Thomas Collins, for 120 do. east of Broad street at 78 cts., 449 do. west of do. at 60 cts., hauling 38 do. paving stone at 50 cts., for new paving and repairing streets, South district,	179	382	00
	To Peter Bobb, for 16,500 hard bricks for sewer in Sixth street at \$6, 5000 common paving do. at shop at \$7,	180	134	00
	To Charles D. Lybrand, for 10,200 hard bricks for sewer in Juniper street at \$6,	181	61	20
	To D. Hutchinson, for carting 50 one horse loads at 25 cts., 2 do. screened gravel at 62½ cts., 2 do. inlet castings at 50 cts., 5 bushels lime at 20 cts., for repairs of inlets, new sewer Juniper street, and miscellaneous, August, 1848, \$21 25, carting 50 do. to and from City Railroad at 25 cts., hauling stone from Thirteenth and High streets 1¾ days at \$2 50, \$16 87, August, 1848,	182	38	12
	To John B. Ulrick, for smith work at City Railroad, from May 19, 1848, to July 28, 1848,	183	20	11
	To Joseph Francis, for smith work at City Railroad, from January 7th, 1848, to August 19, 1848,	184	11	43
	To Archibald M'Donald, for do. do., from May 23, 1848, to September 5, 1848,	185	32	43
	To Benjamin H. Pawling, for do. do., from May 3d, 1848, to August 25th, 1848,	186	37	28
	To John Coyle, for do. do., from May 6th, 1848, to September 9th, 1848,	187	155	37
	To John Lloyd, for 267 ft. 7 in. gutter and inlet stone at 20 cts., 19 ft. flag-stone at 30 cts., stonecutter's work 8½ days at \$2, portage 10 loads at 50 cts., for repairing streets and repairs of inlets,	188	97	35
	To William Lawrence, for pump work from May 18, 1848, to August 7, 1848,	189	159	30
	To Wm. F. Potts, for iron and steel for City			
	Amount carried forward,		26325	58

		No.	Dolls.	C.
1848.	Amount brought forward,		26325	58
Sep. 14,	Railroad, of sundry sorts and prices, and portage,	190	28	40
	To Nelson Gavitt, for 2590 lbs. iron castings for railroad, at 3 cts., less 19 cwt. 3 qrs. 4 lbs. old castings returned at 80 cts. \$15 97, ..	191	61	73
	To William Smith, for building sewer in Sixth street, on account,	192	75	00
	To Charles Fox, for assisting City Surveyors 26½ days at \$1 25, August, 1848,	193	32	50
	To P. H. Rowlett, for do. do. 12½ days at \$1 25, ..	194	15	62
	To Lane Schofield, for building small sewer and inlet corner Lombard street and Delaware avenue,	195	26	00
	28, To Adam Traquair, for City Commissioners' pay roll, labourers and carters 2 weeks at new paving, repairing streets, and new sewers in Juniper and Sixth streets,	196	927	19
	To John Neff, for cleansing and repairing City Railroad 2 weeks, 3 men 14½ days at \$1 50, 2 do. 14 days at \$1 25, 5 do. 37 days at \$1, ..	197	88	75
	To Thomas Collins, for 325 team loads of gravel and hauling west of Broad street at 60 cts., 21 do. east of do. at 78 cts., South district,	198	211	38
	To Thomas Ramage, for 578 team loads of gravel and hauling at 50 cts., west of Broad street, 98½ do. east of do. at 62 cts., hauling 103 do. paving stone at 50 cts., 15 do. at 75 cts., for new paving and repairing streets, North district, less \$213 62 paid on account, September 13, 1848,	199	199	20
	To Enoch Thorn, for carpenter's work, 3 journeymen 10½ days at \$1 50, 1 do. 3½ days at \$1 25, work at City Railroad, wheelbarrows and crotchets, inlets and sewers,	200	19	44
	To Thomas Lipsay, for hauling 28 loads of dirt from Sixth street sewer at 25 cts., 6 do. screened gravel for do. at 62½ cts.,	201	14	50
	To James Hamilton, for 21 one horse loads screened gravel at 62½ cts., for sewer in Sixth street, 4 do. for inlet at 62½ cts.,	202	15	62
	To James M'Closkey & Co., for fixing 28 inlets at \$2 50, 227 ft. curbstone set at 45 cts., resetting 280½ ft. do. at 8 cts., hauling 5 loads at 50 cts., 95 ft. flagstone at 31 cts., hauling do. at 3 cts., for new sewers in Pine, Pear, Sixth, Sch. Eighth, and Juniper streets, and repairs of inlets,	203	229	77
	To James Harper, Jr., for 14,000 gutter bricks			
Amount carried forward,			28270	68

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.
	Amount brought forward,		28270	68
	at \$8, 3000 hard do. at \$6, 9500 do. at \$7 for new paving, inlets, and repairs of do.,...	204	182	50
Sep. 28,	To Curtis & Hand, for 1½ doz. Ames' plain shovels at \$9 75, for new sewer in Sixth street,	205	14	62
	To William Smith, for laying 41,500 bricks, sewer Sixth and George streets, at \$2, build- ing 3 inlets for do. at \$10,	206	38	00
	To S. P. Hancock, for 10,000 hard bricks for sewer Sixth and George streets, at \$6, 4400 gutter bricks, new paving George street, at \$8,	207	95	20
	To B. P. O'Neill, for sundry hardware for new paving and repairing streets,	208	19	00
	To James Harper, Sr., for 15,000 hard bricks for Sixth street sewer, at \$6,	209	90	00
	To Benjamin T. Traquair, for inspecting paving stone, &c., September, 1848, 30 days at \$1, ..	210	30	00
	To J. P. Roberts, for attendance at City Sur- veyor's office 3 months to 30th inst.,	211	16	25
	To Henry O. Agnew, for repairing paving tools North district, from July 3d, 1848, to Sep- tember 8th, 1848,	212	50	30
	To Collar, Neveling & Hay, for building wharf at foot of Lombard street on Delaware, on account,	213	500	00
Oct. 19,	To Adam Traquair, for petty bills paid for Com- mittee 3 months to 1st inst., \$178 44, cash paid for 250 team loads of paving stone at \$2 50, 45 do. at \$2 25, \$726 25, Commis- sioners' pay roll, labourers and carters 3 weeks at new paving, new sewers, repairing streets, and miscellaneous, \$1091 12,	214	1995	81
	To John Neff, for cleansing and repairing City Railroad, 2 men 18½ days at \$1 50, 2 do. 33 days at \$1 25, 3 do. 31½ days at \$1, 3 weeks,	215	100	50
	To David C. Thorn, for bricklayer's work, lay- ing 33,500 bricks at sewer Juniper above Mulberry street, at \$2 25, 2 extra inlets at \$10 each,	216	190	32
	To Thomas Ramage, for 107 team loads of gravel and hauling east of Broad street at 62 cts., 7½ do. west of do. at 50 cts., for new paving, repaving and repairing streets,	217	102	59
	To Thomas Collins, for 307 team loads of gravel and hauling west of Broad street at 60 cents, 42 do. east of do. at 78 cts., for new paving and repairing streets,	218	243	96
	To D. Hutchinson, for carting 48 one horse			
	Amount carried forward,		31939	73

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1848.	Amount brought forward,		31939	73
	loads at 25 cts., 2 screened gravel at 62½ cts., 6 bushels lime at 18 cents, for new sewer Juniper street, repairs of inlets and miscella- neous, September, 1848,.....	219	14	33
Oct. 19,	To Thomas Lipsay, for hauling dirt from 20 inch water pipes, Sch. Eighth street from Chestnut to Cedar street,.....	220	62	50
	To Webster & Patterson, for 32,000 hard bricks at \$6, for repairs for inlets, &c., new sewer in Juniper street,.....	221	192	00
	To John Lloyd & Son, for 185 feet 7 inches flagstone at 30 cts., portorage of do. at 3 cts., \$6 19, for new sewer, Juniper street, do. George and Sixth streets, and repairs of inlets,.....	222	112	32
	To John M. Gummey, for 2½ tons white ash stone coal at \$4 25, extra for hauling half ton at 12½ cts., for City Railroad office,....	223	10	75
	To Thomas Matlack, for 80 bushels lime at 19 cts., portorage 25 cts., for new sewer, Juniper street,.....	224	15	45
	To Charles Fox, for assisting City Surveyors 26 days at \$1 25, Sept. 1848,.....	225	32	50
26,	To Adam Traquair, for City Commissioners' pay roll, labourers and carters 1 week at new paving, repaving, repairs of streets and inlets, and miscellaneous,.....	226	517	50
	To John Nell, for cleansing and repairing City Railroad 1 week, 2 men 6¼ days at \$1 50, 2 do. 12 days at \$1 25, 2 do. 11 days at \$1,..	227	36	12
	To Thomas Ramage, for hauling 105 team loads of paving stone at 50 cts., 255½ do. gravel and hauling west of Broad street at 50 cts., for new paving and repairing streets, North district,.....	228	180	25
	To D. Hutchinson, for 32 one horse loads gravel and hauling at 50 cts., snigging 11 loads stone at and from Juniper and High streets to Broad street, \$1 37, carting 81 one horse loads at 25 cts., of rubbish, paving stone, lumber, &c., to and from City Railroad, Sept. 1848,.....	229	38	87
	To John Bosler, for 10,000 hard bricks, sewer in Mulberry below Front, at \$6,.....	230	60	00
	To Benjamin T. Traquair, for services in in- specting paving stone, serving notices, &c., Oct. 1848, 31 days at \$1,.....	231	31	00
	To Collar, Neveling & Hay, for repairing Lombard street wharf on Delaware, from			
Amount carried forward,			33243	32

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.
	Amount brought forward,		33243	32
	Aug. 26th, 1848, to Oct. 14th, 1848, less \$150 paid on account,	232	168	93
Oct.	26, To Gates & Baird, for flight of stone steps from Front to Water street, per contract, \$200, labour and materials in laying the same, \$36 62,	233	236	62
Nov.	9, To Adam Traquair, for City Commissioners' bills, labourers and carters 2 weeks at new paving, repairing streets, &c.,	234	946	63
	To John Neff, for work in cleansing and repairing City Railroad, 2 men 11 $\frac{3}{4}$ days at \$1 50, 2 do. 23 $\frac{1}{2}$ days at \$1 25, 2 do. 21 days at \$1,	235	68	00
	To Enoch Thorn, for carpenter's work, 1 journeyman 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ days at \$1 50, 2 do. 16 $\frac{1}{2}$ days at \$1 25, at city stone lot, inlets and sewers, and repairing wheelbarrows,	236	24	37
	To David C. Thorn, for laying 37,500 bricks at sewer in Mulberry below Front st. at \$2 25, 2 extra inlets at \$10 each,	237	104	37
	To George Blackford, for sundry bricklayers' work, building and repairing inlets, repairing sewer, paving round pumps, &c., from Aug. 8th, 1848, to Oct. 27th, 1848,	238	112	25
	To Collar, Neveling & Hay, for wharf builder's work, making sewer through Mulberry street wharf on Delaware,	239	293	07
	To James Harper, Jr., for 5500 gutter bricks for new paving and repaving at \$8, 10,000 hard bricks for new sewer in Mulberry street east of Delaware Front street, at \$6,	240	104	00
	To Charles D. Lybrand, for 25,500 hard bricks for new sewer, Sassafras street between Delaware Third and Broad streets, at \$6,	241	150	00
	To S. P. Hancock, for 16,500 hard bricks for new sewer in Mulberry street east of Delaware Front street, at \$6, 300 paving do. for footway opposite alley from Front to Water, above Sassafras street, at \$8,	242	101	40
	To Thomas Ramage, for hauling 56 team loads of paving stone at 50 cts., 6 do. at 75 cts., for repairing streets, North district,	243	32	50
	To George James, for 77 team loads of gravel and hauling, east of Broad street, at 62 cts., 28 do. west of do. at 50 cts., for repairing streets, North district,	244	61	94
	To Thomas Collins, for 433 team loads of gravel and hauling, west of Broad street, at 60 cts., 154 do. east of do. at 78 cts., for repairing streets, South district,	245	379	92
	Amount carried forward,		36027	32

		No.	Dolls.	C.
1848.	Amount brought forward,		36027	32
Nov. 9,	To D. Hutchinson, for carting 54 one horse loads at 25 cts., 3 do. screened gravel delivered at 62½ cts., 3 do. castings at 50 cts., to and from shop, inlets, sewers and pumps, Oct. 1848,	246	16	87
	To Andrew M. Jones, for 3 kegs railroad spikes, 425 lbs. at 6 cts., 12 do. 1200 lbs. at 5½ c.s., portorage 50 cts., for City Railroad,	247	90	00
	To Thomas Cline per A. Traquair, for 609 birch brooms at 3 cts., for new paving, repaving and repairing streets,	248	18	27
	To Commissioners of Girard Estate, for 3 months' rent of City Surveyors' office, due 1st ult.,	249	75	00
	To Charles Fox, for assisting City Surveyors 26 days at \$1 25, Oct. 1848,	250	32	50
24,	To Adam Traquair, for City Commissioners' pay roll, labourers' and carters' wages 2 weeks, at new paving, repaving, repairing streets, new sewers in Mulberry and Sassafras streets, and repairing inlet,	251	830	87
	To John Nell, for work in cleansing and repairing City Railroad, 2 men 10 days at \$1 50, 2 18 days at \$1 25, 3 do. 21¼ days at \$1,	252	59	25
	To Edward T. Randolph & Co., for 12 small size circular iron inlet frames and covers, 5 straight do., 12 large size circular do., straight do., 6 dip castings, 14,909 lbs. at 2½ cts., for new sewers and repairs of inlets,	253	372	72
	To Thomas Collins, for 374 team loads of gravel and hauling west of Broad street at 60 cts., 21 do. east of do. at 78 cts., for new paving and repairing streets, South district,	254	240	78
	To Thomas Ramage, for 16 one horse loads screened gravel and hauling at 62 cts., hauling 32 team loads paving stone at 50 cts., for repairs of inlets, repairing streets, and new sewers in Mulberry and Sassafras streets, North district,	255	25	92
	To Ramage & James. for 86 team loads gravel and hauling east of Broad street at 62 cts., 12 do. west of do. at 50 cts., for repairing streets, North district,	256	59	32
	To Charles D. Lybrand, for 1500 gutter bricks at \$8, 6500 hard do. at \$6, for repairing streets, new sewer Mulberry street, and repairs of inlets,	257	51	00
	To James Harper, Jr., for 1500 square hard bricks for repairs of inlet at \$7,	258	10	50
Amount carried forward,			37910	32

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.
	Amount brought forward,		37910	32
Nov. 24,	To Nelson Gavett, for 6 switches and 12 frogs for City Railroad. 5154 lbs. at 3 cts., less 1 switch returned, 430 lbs. at 3 cts., and 3900 lbs. old iron castings at 80 cts. per cwt. gross weight, \$40 87,	259	113	75
	To Thomas Matlack, for 156 bushels of lime at 19 cts., carting 20 cts., for new sewers in Mulberry and Sassafras streets, and repairs of inlets,	260	29	84
	To Benjamin T. Traquair, for inspecting paving stones, serving notices, &c., November, 1848, 30 days at \$1.	261	30	00
Dec. 14,	To Ramage & James, for 221 team loads of gravel and hauling east of Broad street at 62 cts., 8½ do. west of do. at 50 cts., for repairing streets,	262	141	27
	To John Neff, for work cleansing and repairing City Railroad, 2 men 6½ days at \$1 50, 2 do. 34 days at \$1 25, 3 do. 36½ days at \$1,	263	88	37
	To Charles Fox, for 20,500 common paving bricks at \$8, for new paving and repairing sts.,	264	164	00
	To Peter Bobb, for 10,250 common paving bricks for new paving and repairing streets, from November 14th, 1848, to December 1, 1848,	265	82	00
	To James Harper, Jr., for 1500 square hard bricks at \$7, 4000 do. at \$6, for repairs of inlets and miscellaneous,	266	36	50
	To Henry O. Agnew, for paving tools and repairs, from September 12th, 1848, to November 20th, 1848, North district,	267	20	12
	To Benjamin H. Pawling, for smith work, repairing wheelbarrows, grates, bars, &c., for sewers, from Jly 14th, 1848, to November, 25th, 1848, for inlets, City Railroad, new paving and repairing streets,	268	50	21
	To J. & J. B. Andrews & Co., for lumber from July 6, 1848, to November 2, 1848, for new sewers and miscellaneous,	269	20	45
	To Adam Traquair, for City Commissioners' pay roll, labourers' and carters' wages 3 weeks at new paving, repairing streets, and miscellaneous, \$1020 07, cash paid for 5 team loads of paving stone at \$2 75, 93 do. at \$2 50, 100 do. at \$2 25, 10 do. at \$2, \$491 25, for new paving, repaving and repairing streets,	270	1511	32
	To Thomas Williams, Jr. & Co., for lumber for City Railroad, from August 22d, 1848, to November 24th, 1848,	271	16	09
	Amount carried forward,		40224	24

1818.		No.	Dolls.	C.
	Amount brought forward,		40224	24
Dec. 14,	To James Rowland & Co., for 4 T. 2 cwt., 21 lbs. railroad iron at \$55, 5 T. 2 cwt. 1 qr. 7 lbs. do. at \$56,	272	512	51
	To Henry W. Brown, for 9 bars for inlets at \$2, 5 do. at \$1 50, letting in 2 eyes at 75 cts., 75 lbs. lead at 6 cts.,	273	31	50
	To David C. Thorn, for bricklayer's work, laying 26,500 bricks sewer Sassafras street at \$2 25, building new inlet to sewer Mulberry street, \$20, repairing and altering sundry inlets, paving and repairing pavements in front of public steps, from October 11, 1848, to December 1, 1848,	274	107	37
	To William Smith, for laying bricks, sewer George west of Sixth street, (private),	275	12	00
	To Spear & Sherry, for 161 bushels of lime at 18 cts., 123 do. at 20 cts., for new sewers, Pear and George and Sixth streets, for repairs inlets,	276	53	53
	To James M'Closkey & Co., for fixing 10 inlets at \$2 50, 134½ feet curbstone set at 45 cents, resetting 824 feet do. at 6 cts., hauling 3 loads at 50 cts.,	277	138	85
	To Thomas Hansell, for 3 rammers at \$9, for new paving, repaving and repairing streets, .	278	27	00
	To Baxter, Brothers, for hardware from August 19th, 1848, to November 6th, 1848, for general purposes, &c.,	279	11	19
	To Thomas Collins, for 158 team loads of gravel and hauling at 78 cts., east of Broad street, 82 do. west of do. at 60 cts., hauling 36 do. paving stone at 75 cts., for new paving and repairing streets,	280	199	44
	To Thomas Ramage, for hauling 9½ team loads of paving stone at 75 cts., 57 do. at 50 cts., for repairing streets, North district,	281	35	62
	To D. Hutchinson, for hauling 3 one horse loads at 50 cts., 36 do. at 25 cts., for inlets and pumps, 8 do. gravel delivered at 50 cts., 91 do. sundries to and from City Railroad at 25 cts., from October 26th, 1848, to December 12th, 1848,	282	37	25
	To Gates & Baird, for 192 ft. flagstone at 30 cts., portorage on do. at 3 cts., 585½ ft. gutter stone at 20 cts., piece of granite for inlet, \$7, 2 days' labour fitting stone at \$2, for repairing streets and inlets, from February 23d, 1848, to November 16th, 1848,	283	191	52
	To John Lloyd & Son, for 924 ft. 6 in. flagstone at 30 cts., portorage of do. at 3 cts., 111 ft. 4			
	Amount carried forward,		41580	5

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.
Amount brought forward,			41580	05
in. inlet stones at 20 cts., portorage of 3 loads at 3 cts., 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ days' stonecutter's work at \$2, for new sewer Sassalras street, repairs of inlets and repairing streets,		284	335	01
Dec. 14,	To Charles Fox, for assisting City Surveyors 26 days at \$1 25, November, 1848,	285	32	50
28,	To Adam Traquair, for City Commissioners' pay roll, labourers and carters 2 weeks at repaving, repairing streets and inlets, and miscellaneous, \$522 10, petty bills paid for Committee 3 months to 27th inst., \$176 93,	286	699	03
	To John Coyle, for smith work at City Railroad, from September 11th, 1848, to December 18th, 1848,	287	151	08
	To Archibald M'Donald, for do. from September 14, 1848, to December 21, 1848,	288	26	50
	To Henry O. Agnew, for smith work repairing paving tools, from November 6, 1848, to December 21, 1848, for repaving and repairing streets, North district,	289	31	62
	To Benjamin H. Pawling, for do. for City Railroad, from September 14th, 1848, to December 16th, 1848,	290	11	42
	To John Neff, for cleansing and repairing City Railroad 2 weeks. 1 man 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days at \$1 50, 2 do. 23 days at \$1 25, 3 do. 18 days at \$1,	291	49	00
	To Enoch Thorn, for carpenter's work. 1 journeyman 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ days at \$1 50, 3 do, 16 $\frac{1}{4}$ days at \$1 25, 2 labourers 2 days at \$1, at inlets, railroad, &c.,	292	29	06
	To T. Ramage & G. James, for 38 team loads of gravel and hauling west of Broad street at 50 cts., 67 $\frac{1}{2}$ do. east of do. at 62 cts., for repairing streets, North district,	293	60	85
	To Thomas Collins, for 80 do. hauled east of Broad street at 78 cts., 19 do. west of do. at 60 cts., for repairing streets, South district, .	294	73	80
	To William Lawrence, for pump work from August 21, 1848, to December 19, 1848, North and South districts,	295	149	70
	To P. B. O'Neill, for hardware for City Railroad, from November 3d, 1848, to November 24th, 1848,	296	13	11
	To John P. Roberts, for attendance at City Surveyor's office, 3 months to 31st inst.,	297	16	25
	To Benjamin T. Traquair, for inspecting paving stone, collecting, &c., December, 1848, 31 days at \$1,	298	31	00
Amount carried forward,			43289	98

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.
	Amount brought forward,		43289	98
Dec. 28,	To Charles Fox, for assisting City Surveyors and Regulators 26 days at \$1 25, December, 1848,	299	32	50
			43322	48
31,	To Account No. 4, for year 1849,		38 2	51
			47124	99
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<i>No. 5. Committee on Cleansing the City.</i>				
<i>Cr.</i>				
Jan. 1,	By Balance not expended from 1847,		132	00
6,	By Temporary Appropriation by Ordinance, to be deducted from the Annual Appropriation to this Committee for the year 1848,		3000	00
Mar. 30,	By Appropriation by Ordinance of Councils of this date,		8668	00
			11800	00
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<i>Dr. For the following payments on requisitions of the Committee and orders of the Mayor.</i>				
Jan. 6	To Henry Bickley, for cleansing the city 2 weeks per contract, due 4th inst.,	1	350	00
9,	Do. do. do. due 18th inst.,	2	350	00
Feb. 2,	Do. do. do. due 1st inst.,	3	35	00
16,	Do. do. do. due 15th inst.,	4	350	00
Mar. 1,	Do. do. do. due 15th inst., \$350. and balance due 2d inst. on contract, \$483 33,	5	8 3	33
16,	To Henry Bickley, for stock, on account,	6	600	00
23,	To do. do.,	7	200	00
April 1,	To Henry Bickley, for amount of appraisement of horses, carts, utensils, and other stock for cleansing, as per appraisement submitted to Committee, \$5 37 10, services, work, &c., at cleaning, 3d and 4th ult., as per items in			
Amount carried forward,			3033	33

1848.		No.	D. .Is.	C.
Amount brought forward,			3033	33
account herewith submitted, \$36, less cash				
paid on account of stock, \$800,		8	4273	10
April	1, To Henry Bickley, for cleansing North district			
	of city 4 weeks to 30th ult., per contract, . . .	9	200	00
	To Tobias Huber, for refreshments for cleansing,	10	30	00
	6, To Robert Patton, for cleansing South district			
	of city 4 weeks to 30th ult., per contract, . . .	11	202	00
	To Lane Schofield, for assisting in appraisement			
	of Henry Bickley's stock, dividing the same			
	into two parts, and making five copies of			
	appraisement,	12	20	00
	2, To Henry Bickley, for cleansing North district			
	of city 2 weeks per contract, due 13th inst., . .	13	100	00
	19, To Robert Patton, for do. South do. 2 weeks to			
	13th inst.,	14	110	00
	26, To Henry Bickley, for do. North do. 2 weeks to			
	27th inst.,	15	100	00
May	3, To Robert Patton, for do. South do. 2 weeks to			
	do.,	16	110	00
	To George W. Brown, for $\frac{1}{2}$ box of segars for			
	Committee,	17	7	00
	1, To Henry Bickley, for cleansing North district			
	2 weeks per contract, due 11th inst.,	18	100	00
	17, To Robert Patton, for do. South do. do.,	19	110	00
	24, To Henry Bickley, for do. North do. due 25th			
	inst.,	20	100	00
	31, To Robert Patton, for do. South do. do.,	21	110	00
June	7, To Henry Bickley, for do. North do., due 8th			
	inst.,	22	100	00
	14, To Robert Patton, for do. South do. do.,	23	110	00
	21, To Henry Bickley, for do. North do. due 22d			
	inst.,	24	100	00
	28, To Robert Patton, for do. South do. do.,	25	110	00
July	5, To Henry Bickley, for cleansing North district			
	2 weeks per contract, due 6th inst.,	26	100	00
	6, To Crissy & Markley, for printing 1700 notices			
	as to moving ashes,	27	8	50
	11, To Robert Patton, for cleansing South district			
	2 weeks per contract, due 6th inst.,	28	110	00
	19, To Henry Bickley, for do. North do. do. due			
	20th inst.,	29	100	00
	26, To Robert Patton, for do. South do. do.,	30	110	00
Aug.	2, To Henry Bickley, for do. North do. do. due			
	3d inst.,	31	100	00
	9, To Robert Patton, for do. South do. do.,	32	110	00
	16, To Henry Bickley, for do. North do. do. due			
	17th inst.,	33	100	00
	22, To Robert Patton, for do. South do. do.,	34	110	00
	30, To Henry Bickley, for do. North do. do. due			
	31st inst.,	35	100	00
Amount carried forward,			9973	93

1848.		No	Dolls.	C.
Amount brought forward,			9973	93
Sep.	6,	To Robert Patton, for do South do. do.,	36	110 00
	13,	To Henry Bickley, for do. North do. do. due 14th inst.,	37	100 00
	19,	To Robert Patton, for do. South do. do.,	38	110 00
	27,	To Henry Bickley, for do. North do. do. due 28th inst.,	39	100 00
Oct.	4,	To Robert Patton, for do. South do. do. due 28th ult.,	40	110 00
		To Samuel W. Ayers, for $\frac{1}{4}$ box of segars for Committee,	41	6 50
	7,	To Tobias Huber, for refreshments for Committee,	42	25 00
	11,	To Henry Bickley, for cleansing North district 2 weeks per contract, due 12th inst.,	43	100 00
	18,	To Robert Patton, for do. South do. do.,	44	110 00
	24,	To Henry Bickley, for do. North do. due 26th inst.,	45	100 00
	31,	To Robert Patton, for do. South do. do.,	46	110 00
Nov.	8	To Henry Bickley, for do. North do. due 9th inst.	47	100 00
	22,	To do. for do. do. due 23d inst.,	48	100 00
		To Robert Patton, for do. South do. 4 weeks do.,	49	220 00
Dec.	6,	To Henry Bickley, for do. North do., 2 weeks, due 7th inst.,	50	100 00
	7	To Robert Patton, for do. South do. do.,	51	110 00
	20,	To Henry Bickley, for cleansing North district of city 2 weeks per contract, due 21st inst.,	52	100 00
		To Robert Patton, for do. South do. do.,	53	110 00
			11795	43
31,			4	57
			11800	00
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No. 6. Committee on City Property.				
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Jan.	6,	By Temporary Appropriation by Ordinance, to form a part of and be deducted from the General Appropriation to this Committee for 1848,	5000	00
Feb.	28,	By cash received from A. Traquair, advanced him to pay petty bills January 12, 1847, and now repaid,	150	00
Amount carried forward,			5150	00

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.
	Amount brought forward,		5150	00
Mar. 29,	By Temporary Appropriation, to be deducted from General Appropriation,		2000	00
30,	By Appropriation by Ordinance of Councils of this date,		33820	00
			<u>40970</u>	<u>00</u>
	<i>Dr. For the following payments on requisitions of the Committee and orders of the Mayor.</i>			
Jan. 1,	To John Horton, for sundry bricklayer's work from December 11th, 1846, to December 1st, 1847, at market houses, Washington and Independence squares, and incidentals,	1	438	85
	To Nicholas Kohlenkamp, for sundry tin and copper work, from August 14th, 1847, to October 28th, 1847, at market houses, Tobacco warehouse, and State-house,	2	130	80
	To Benjamin H. Pawling, for smith work, from January 6th, 1847, to November 6th, 1847, for market houses, Tobacco warehouse, Permanent bridge, incidentals, and public squares,	3	171	02
	To Harbert & Davis, for lumber, from July 13th, 1847, to November 8th, 1847, for public squares and State-house,	4	399	65
	To Thomas Williams, Jr. & Co., for lumber for High st. market houses, from August 3d, 1847, to December 23d, 1847,	5	67	61
	To Abigail Physick, for 6 months' ground rent on two lots Filbert st. near Schuylkill Eighth street, due 1st inst.,	6	50	00
	To Robert W. Smith, for repairs of Chestnut street wharf on Schuylkill,	7	31	48
	To Joseph Francis, for smith work at Tobacco warehouse, repairing tools, &c., from March 3d, 1847, to November 16th, 1847,	8	11	12
	To William Williams, for sundries furnished for Tobacco warehouse, from December 28th, 1846, to October 8th, 1847, per pass book, . .	9	11	75
	To Adam Traquair, for petty bills paid for Committee, 3 months to 31st ult.,	10	168	69
	To Enoch Thorn, for carpenter's work 2 weeks, 2 journeymen 8 $\frac{3}{4}$ days at \$1 50, 2 do. 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ days at \$1 25, at market houses and incidentals, \$18 75, and balance of 3 months' salary as City Carpenter, due 1st inst., \$47 07,	11	65	82
	To William P. Bolton, for repairing large carved eagle for Independence Hall,	12	20	00
	To Harris & Leach, for 3 months' rent of part of Tobacco warehouse, December 23d, 1847,	13	100	00
	Amount carried forward,		1666	79

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.
Jan. 11,	Amount brought forward,		1666	79
	To Charles V. Hagner, for compensation allowed him for cancelling a lease on a house in Beaver street destroyed by fire.	14	200	00
	To William Cowperthwaite, for plastering at market houses and Clerk's office United States Court,	15	11	24
	To E. Cowperthwaite, for sundry upholsterer's work, at blinds, carpets, curtains, &c., at Independence Hall, Council chambers, Mayor's, City Treasurer's and City Commissioners' offices, from January 18th, 1847, to October 26th, 1847,	16	71	81
	To John Thomson & Son, for repairing gas lamps in Washington square, \$34 63, sundry tin work, repairs of market houses, &c., from April 30th, 1847, to November 16th, 1847, ..	17	51	76
	To J. & J. B. Andrews & Co., for lumber for public squares, market houses, Permanent bridge, incidentals, and Tobacco warehouse, from November 18th, 1846, to November 5th, 1847,	18	157	00
	To Emerick & Warner, for hardware for Permanent bridge, public squares, and incidentals, from November 24th, 1846, to November 20th, 1847,	19	83	96
	To William H. Knight, for hardware for market houses, Tobacco warehouse, Rittenhouse square, and incidentals, from June 17th, 1847, to November 16th, 1847,	20	12	56
	To Charles Kinsley, for making two pair of wheels for leaf barrows for Franklin and Washington squares, at \$6,	21	12	00
	To William H. C. Riggs, for winding and regulating State-house and astronomical clocks and care of transit instrument, 3 months to 1st inst.,	22	50	00
	To William I. Wood, for charge of clock at Front and High streets, 1847,	23	50	00
	To George H. M'Cully, for superintending clock at New Market hall, 3 months to 1st inst.,	24	12	50
	To James M. Conrad, for 1 quarter's rent of office for use of Clerks of High st. market, due 1st inst.,	25	18	75
	To William Lawrence, for 33 feet of pump at 50 cts., opposite city property, West Philadelphia, \$16 50, new upper and lower boxes, \$2, new nozzle and headboard, \$1. putting in pump, \$1, shutting in well, \$1,	26	21	50
	Amount carried forward,		2419	87

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.
	Amount brought forward,		3632	32
	1848, \$466, labourers' wages 3 weeks at Tobacco warehouse, public squares, incidentals, and Permanent bridge, \$80 25,.....	38	546	25
Feb. 29,	To do., for 1 month's salary due this day, of superintendent, clerk, and watchman at Tobacco warehouse, superintendents of public squares and burial ground, watchmen at Permanent bridge and State-house steeple, and 2 weeks' wages of labourers at Tobacco warehouse, State-house, and city burial ground,...	39	613	28
	To Enoch Thorn, for carpenter's work 2 weeks, 1 man 12 days at \$1 50, 3 men 39 days at \$1 25, at market houses, Mayor's office, and Washington square,.....	40	66	75
	To Harris & Leech, for 2 months' rent of a portion of Tobacco warehouse, due 24th inst.,	41	66	67
	To A. Traquair, for advance to pay petty bills under \$10,	42	150	00
Mar. 14,	To J. B. Wickersham, for 23 feet patent wire railing for Independence Hall, at \$1 50,....	43	34	50
28,	To John Diehl, for 1 month's salary, due 31st inst., of superintendent, clerk, and watchmen at Tobacco warehouse, superintendents of public squares and burial ground, watchmen at Permanent bridge and State-house steeple, and 2 weeks' wages of labourers at Tobacco warehouse, Permanent bridge and incidentals,	44	825	56
	To Enoch Thorn, for carpenter's work 4 weeks, 1 man 21 days at \$1 50, 5 men 67 $\frac{3}{4}$ days at \$1 25, at Tobacco warehouse, Mayor's office, and market houses, \$116 19, 3 months' salary as City Carpenter, to 31st inst., \$225,	45	341	19
	To Collar, Neveling & Hay, for building Mulberry st. wharf on Delaware, on account, \$100, repairing a wharf on Schuylkill between High and Chestnut streets, \$20 51,	46	120	51
	To Thomas Ramage, for 30 one horse loads of gravel and hauling at 62 $\frac{1}{2}$ cents, to Washington square,	47	18	75
	To William Cowperthwaite, for plastering at Mayor's new office,	48	73	00
	To Isaac Barton & Co., for 16 pieces, 453 $\frac{3}{4}$ yards $\frac{6}{4}$ black English merinoes at 50 cents,	49	226	87
	To William Morris, for 3 pieces black crape at \$1, 15 do. at \$3 75,.....	50	68	25
	To William Eckle, for extra services during the stay of Henry Clay, funeral of J. Q. Adams, &c.,	51	25	00
April 11,	To Collar, Neveling & Hay, for account of building Mulberry street wharf on Delaware,	52	1000	00
	Amount carried forward,		7808	90

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.
	Amount brought forward,		7808	90
April 11,	To A. Traquair, for petty bills paid for Committee, 3 months to 1st inst.,	53	99	54
	To William Becket, for 3600 hoop-poles, at \$5, for Tobacco warehouse,	54	180	00
	To E. Killingsworth, for painting, graining and varnishing new office for Mayor, per contract, \$38, extra work at do., \$9, glazing 41 lights in do. at 37½ cents, \$15 37, repairing sash, \$1 50.....	55	63	87
	To Margaret Christie, for taking down old curtains in Council chambers, \$1 50, fixing up black curtains in do. and covering chandelier, \$8, making and fixing up black drapery, covering chairs, picture frames, chandeliers, &c., in Independence Hall,	56	54	50
	To William H. C. Riggs, for winding and regulating State-house clock, and care of astronomical clock and transit instrument, 3 months to 1st inst., \$50, repairs to State-house clock, \$1 50,.....	57	51	50
	To Enoch Thorn, for carpenter's work 2 weeks, 1 journeyman 9 days at \$1 50, 3 do. 17½ days at \$1 25, 2 labourers 8 days at \$1, at Washington square, market houses, Mayor's room, fence at Schuylkill, &c.....	58	43	06
	To Reeves, Buck & Co., for 5 kegs W. H. nails, 500 lbs. at 5½ cts., \$27 50, portorage 25 cts., for Tobacco warehouse,	59	27	75
	To D. Hutchinson, for hauling 78 one horse loads to and from sundry places at 25 cts., 5 do. at 37½ cts., 2 do. coal ashes from cellar at 50 cts., March, 1848.	60	22	37
	To J. M. Conrad, for 3 months' rent to 1st inst., of room for clerks of High st., market,	61	18	75
	To James W. Cassady, for painting and trimming 2 large window blinds, \$7 50, making 1 new do. \$7 50, 2 sets of knobs, \$1, for Mayor's new office,	62	16	00
	To George H. McCully, for superintending clock at New Market hall, 3 months to 1st inst.,	63	12	50
	To John Diehl, for commissions at 2 per cent. on \$15,192 02, city rents, &c., collected from February 3, 1848, to April 10, 1848, and on \$700 received by him from insurance company for a loss by fire in house in Beaver court, and paid in November 29, 1847, \$317 81, and 2 weeks' wages of labourers at Tobacco warehouse, State-house, and public squares, \$143,	64	460	84
	Amount carried forward,		8879	58

1818.		No.	Dolls.	C.
	Amount brought forward,		8859	58
April 25,	To Collar, Neveling & Hay, for building Mulberry street wharf on Delaware, on account,	65	1300	00
	To Enoch Thorn, for carpenter's work, 7 journeymen 18 days at \$1 50, 3 labourers 3 days at \$1, at Franklin square, city stores, City Hall, and city shop,	66	31	00
	To Albert Hughes, for 1 cedar hydrant at Logan square \$9, paving \$1 25,	67	10	25
	To Jonathan Yerkes, for 25 loads of gravel delivered in Franklin square at 50 cts.,	68	12	50
	To Patrick Campbell, for posts and rails, and making fence on Lemon Hill estate, 106 panels at 90 cts., one-half paid by city,	69	47	70
	To John Diehl, for 1 month's salary due 30th, inst., of superintendent, clerk, and watchman at Tobacco warehouse, superintendent of public squares and burial ground, watchmen at Permanent bridge and State-house steeple, and labourers and carters 2 weeks at Tobacco warehouse, public wharves, and State-house,	70	726	78
	To C. H. & J. F. White, for sundry furniture for Independence Hall,	71	233	50
	To W. Sanderson, for 6 arm chairs, \$11 50, 12 cane seat chairs at \$1 75, for Independence Hall,	72	32	50
	To Enoch Thorn, for 4 journeymen 22 days at \$1 50, at Dock street stores and market houses,	73	33	00
May 9,	To John Diehl, for labourers' and carters' wages 2 weeks, at Tobacco warehouse, public wharves and squares, and incidentals,	74	178	75
	To Collar, Neveling & Hay, for building wharf at Mulberry street, Delaware, on account, \$1200, repairs at Walnut and George street wharves on Schuylkill, \$166 63,	75	1366	63
	To Samuel Kirby, for exchange of stove, \$5, drum, \$4, 2 joints of pipe, at 37½ cts., for Tobacco warehouse,	76	10	25
	To D. Hutchinson, for carting 97 one horse loads to public squares, market house, Tobacco warehouse, city stores and shop, and Chestnut street wharf, April, 1848, at 25 cts.,	77	24	25
23,	To Collar, Neveling & Hay, for building Mulberry street wharf on Delaware, on account, ..	78	1000	00
	To E. Killingsworth, for glazing 17 lights of glass in Independence Hall at 37½ cts., painting 8 signs "Caution" and furnishing tins, at 50 cents, setting Mayor's office, \$3,	79	13	37
	Amount carried forward,		13870	06

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.
			13870	06
May	23,	Amount brought forward,		
		To Trustees Philadelphia Gas Works, for 534 bushels lime ashes, at 3 cts.,	80	16 02
		To Francis Dardis, for 416 lbs. nails for Tobacco warehouse, at 10 cts.,	81	41 60
		To Watering Committee, for water rent for 1848, at Tobacco warehouse, \$5, stores Dock east of Water street, \$16, Permanent bridge, \$5, Logan square, \$5,	82	31 00
		To Enoch Thorn, for carpenter's work, 6 journeymen 14 days at \$1 50, 1 do. 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ days at \$1 25, 1 do. 1 day, \$1, at public squares, Mayor's office, and stores,	83	25 44
		To John Diehl, for 1 month's salary to 31st inst., of superintendent, clerk, and watchman at Tobacco warehouse, superintendents of public squares and burial ground, watchmen at Permanent bridge and State-house steeple, and labourers' and carters' wages 2 weeks at Tobacco warehouse, public wharves, burial ground, State-house, &c.,	84	813 78
		To Edward Whelan, for gas fixtures at Independence Hall and Mayor's office,	85	179 69
		To Marshall Henszey, for repairing fountain and pavements in and around Franklin square, and materials,	86	29 00
	13,	To John Helms, for work done, making gravel walks in the Penn squares, to June 12, 1848,	87	640 50
		To Enoch Thorn, for carpenter's work 3 weeks, 6 journeymen 17 days at \$1 50, 1 do. 5 days at \$1 25, at public squares, Permanent bridge, market houses, Treasurer's office, &c.,	88	31 75
June		To Collar, Neveling & Hay, for building wharf at Mulberry street on Delaware, on account,	89	1400 00
		To William Cowperthwaite, for plastering counting house ceiling at City store, No. 9 Dock street, \$15 64, plastering fire proof at do., \$5 75,	90	21 39
		To Howell and Brothers, for paper hanging Mayor's new office,	91	45 85
		To Estate of John B. Jewell, for sundry glazing at City Commissioners', City Treasurer's and Watering Committee offices, \$4, painting sheds in western High street markets, \$15,	92	19 00
		To S. & E. Castner, for 150 grass bags at 17 cts., portorage 25 cts., for Tobacco warehouse.	93	25 75
		To P. P. Mingus, for repairing 7 gates for Franklin square, men's time, carting and materials,	94	24 50
		Amount carried forward,		17215 83

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.
	Amount brought forward,		17215	83
June 3,	To John Diehl, for labourers' and carters' wages 3 weeks at public squares, Tobacco warehouse, Permanent bridge and incidentals, . . .	95	206	41
27,	To Collar, Neveling & Hay, for building wharf at Mulberry street on Delaware, on account, \$500, re-making a slip at Chestnut street wharf on Delaware, and materials \$86 68, .	96	586	68
	To Enoch Thorn, for 3 month's salary as City Carpenter, to 30th inst., \$225, carpenter's work, 4 journeymen 8½ days at \$1 50, 1 do. 3½ days at \$1 25, at public squares, \$16 81,	97	241	81
	To William H. Knight, for sundry hardware furnished City Carpenter, for High street market, shop, Independence Hall, Treasurer's office, general purposes, City Hall, New Market Hall, Commissioners' office, State-house, Dock street store and Mayor's office, from December 14, 1847, to May 16, 1848, .	98	42	85
	To Euston & Weir, for gilding large eagle in Independence Hall, \$34, sundry painting in do., \$29 75,	99	63	75
	To Moses Briggs, for painting 2 offices 3 coats, at No. 9 Dock street, and glazing 144 lights of glass, \$38, sundry other painting and glazing at Nos. 9 and 13 do., \$21 60,	100	59	60
	To Thomas Ramage, for 51 one horse loads of gravel and hauling to Rittenhouse square at 45 cts.,	101	22	95
	To D. Hutchinson, for carting 43 one horse cart loads to and from public squares, Independence Hall, smith shop and No. 9 Dock street, at 25 cts., 2 do. coal ashes from cellar, at 50 cts., May, 1848,	102	11	75
	To Abigail Physick, for 6 months' ground rent on 2 lots, Filbert street, west of Schuylkill Eighth street, due 30th inst.,	103	50	00
	To Mary Simpson, for cleaning Council chambers, windows, desks, spittoons, &c.,	104	15	00
	To John Diehl, for 1 month's salary due 30th inst., of superintendent, clerk and watchman at Tobacco warehouse, superintendents of public squares and burial ground, watchmen at Permanent bridge and State-house steeple, and labourers' and carters' wages 2 weeks at Tobacco warehouse, &c.,	105	781	72
	To John Long, for 72 one horse loads of gravel and hauling to Rittenhouse square at 50 cts.,	106	36	00
	To W. L. Ward, for 6 months' attendance to city clock, Front and High streets, to 30th inst.,	107	5	00
	Amount carried forward,		19359	35

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C
	Amount brought forward,		19359	35
July 11.	To Horton & Dickinson, for sundry bricklaying at city property, from December 13th, 1847, to June 28th, 1848,	108	403	95
	To J. and J. B. Andrews, from December 4th 1847, to June 5th, 1848, for public squares, market houses, Mayor's office, &c.,	109	269	36
	To Emerick & Warner, for hardware, from November 26th, 1847, to May 25th, 1848, for Washington square, market houses, and incidentals,	110	15	72
	To Thomas Williams Jr. & Co., for lumber for market houses, public squares and wharves, and incidentals, from January 19th, 1848, to June 26th, 1848,	111	260	91
	To James M. Conrad, for 3 months' rent of room for Clerks of High st. market, due 1st inst.,	112	18	75
	To John Long, for 23 one horse loads of gravel and hauling for Rittenhouse square, at 50 cts.,	113	11	50
	To Crissy & Markley, for printing 500 handbills for market rents, \$5, 2 books of forms 8 quires each, for Tobacco warehouse, \$21, 500 handbills for City Railroad, \$1 50, pocket book, \$1 25, 5000 blank tickets for Tobacco warehouse, \$15, from January 5th, 1848, to March 28th, 1848,	114	43	75
	To Baxter Brothers, for hardware for Washington square and incidentals, from January 5th, 1848, to June 22d, 1848,	115	42	65
	To A. Traquair, for petty bills paid, 3 months to 1st inst.,	116	211	32
	To John Diehl, for labourers' and carters' wages 2 weeks at public squares, Tobacco warehouse, public wharves, and incidentals, \$239 62, state tax for 1848 on sundry city property less 5 per cent. for prompt payment and discount on Relief notes, \$815 46,	117	1055	08
	To Hymen L. Lipman, for stationery for Tobacco warehouse, from November 9th, 1847, to May 13th, 1848,	118	22	81
	To William H. C. Riggs, for winding and regulating State-house clock, astronomical clock and transit instrument, 3 months, due 1st inst.,	119	50	0
	To Reeves, Buck & Co., for 10 kegs W. H. nails, 1000 lbs. at 5 cts., and portorage, 50 cts.,	120	50	50
	To D. Hutchinson, for carting 56 one horse loads to and from public squares, and for incidentals, at 25 cts., June, 1848,	121	14	00
	Amount carried forward,		21769	65

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.
			21769	65
Amount brought forward,				
July 11,	To George J. Weaver, for chandlery for Tobacco warehouse, from April 12th, 1848, to June 22d, 1848.	122	31	38
	To Samuel G. Butler, for sundry painting and varnishing at market houses, public squares, and City Commissioners' office,	123	62	12
	To William Smith, for repaving gutters in Rittenhouse square at \$2 per day, \$85, 2,200 paving bricks at \$8 50, \$18 70,	124	103	70
	To Collar, Neveling & Hay, for building Mulberry street wharf on Delaware, on account, ..	125	1500	00
	To Benjamin H. Pawling, for smith work at public squares, market houses, Mayor's office, city stores, &c., from January 6th, 1848, to June 30th, 1848.	126	75	45
	To E. Killingsworth, for painting railing at Washington square, per contract,	127	150	00
	To Thomas Ramage, for 218 team loads of gravel and hauling to Mulberry st. wharf on Delaware, at \$7½ cts.,	128	190	75
	To Enoch Thorn, for carpenter's work, 9 journeymen 30½ days at \$1 50, 1 do. 10 days at \$ 1 25, at public squares, market houses, and Treasurer's office,	129	58	25
	To John Diehl, for 1 month's salary due 30th inst., of superintendent, clerk, and watchman at Tobacco warehouse, superintendents of public squares and burial ground, watchmen at Permanent bridge and State-house steeple, and labourers' and carters' wages 2 weeks at Tobacco warehouse, public wharves and incidentals,	130	630	78
July 25,	To John Murphy, for William Shaughney, for 1 man 1 day mowing in Penn square, \$1 50, 2 men do. 4½ days at \$1 50,	131	15	00
	To Peter Kiker, per John Diehl, for resetting 620 feet old curb west side of Logan square, at 8 cts.,	132	49	60
	To George H. McCully, for superintendence of clock at New Market Hall, 3 months to 1st inst.,	133	12	50
	To James D. Shaw, for sundry plastering and materials in market houses High st. between Sch. Sixth and Sch. Eighth sts.,	134	11	37
	To Collar, Neveling & Hay, for building Mulberry st. wharf on Delaware, on account, ...	135	500	00
	To George P. Weaver, for 2 men 12 days each at Rittenhouse square, at \$1,	136	24	00
	To Patrick Kereven, for 2 men 15 days at Logan square, at \$1,	137	15	00
Amount carried forward,			25199	55

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.
	Amount brought forward,		25199	55
Aug. 15,	To Collar, Neveling & Hay, for building Mulberry st. wharf on Delaware and materials, sundry wharf work extra and materials, and 2 sets of cranes for Mulberry and Chestnut st. wharves, \$8,85931, less \$8,500 paid on acc't,	138	359	31
	To Francis Dardis, for 2,140 lbs. nails at 10 cts., for Tobacco warehouse, from February 4th, 1848, to June 19th, 1848,	139	214	50
	To Euston & Weir, for painting one-half the railing round Washington square 2 coats, ..	140	150	00
	To P. R. Hoopes, for damages for not removing stone from front of Chestnut st. wharf on Schuylkill, \$15, repairs, \$2 04,	141	17	04
	To James W. Cassady, for 3 large window blinds for Mayor's new office, at \$9,	142	27	00
	To John P. Roberts, for 2 new hydrants to Washington square,	143	15	00
	To D. Hutchinson, for carting 46 one horse loads at 25 cts., to and from public squares, and for incidentals, July, 1848,	144	11	50
	To Enoch Thorn, for carpenter's work, 7 journeymen 23 $\frac{1}{2}$ days at \$1 50, 1 do. 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days at \$1 25, 1 labourer 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ days at \$1, at public squares and wharf and State-house illumination,	145	39	25
	To John Diehl, for labourers' wages 3 weeks at Tobacco warehouse, public squares, and incidentals, \$248, commissions at 2 per cent. on \$21,998 75, city rents, &c., from April 15th, 1848, to August 14th, 1848, \$439 98,	146	687	98
	To George P. Weaver, for 2 labourers 14 days each at Rittenhouse square, at \$1,	147	28	00
	To Bryan and M'Croder, for whitewashing at Penn squares and materials,	148	45	00
29,	To J. & J. B. Orne, for 66 $\frac{1}{2}$ yards imperial carpeting for Mayor's new offices at \$1 37 $\frac{1}{2}$, 23 do. oil cloth at \$1 50, 2 door mats at \$2, ...	149	267	89
	To John Long, for hauling 100 loads of rubbish from Rittenhouse square at 18 $\frac{3}{4}$ cts., ...	150	18	75
	To Enoch Thorn, for carpenter's work, 4 journeymen 22 $\frac{1}{2}$ days at \$1 50, 1 do. 3 days at \$1 25, at market houses and Franklin square,	151	37	12
	To John Diehl, for 1 month's salary due 31st inst., of superintendent, clerk and watchman at Tobacco warehouse, superintendents of public squares and burial ground, watchmen at Permanent bridge and State-house steeple, and labourers 2 weeks at public squares, Permanent bridge, Tobacco warehouse, incidentals, and market houses,	152	571	53
	Amount carried forward,		27689	42

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.
Amount brought forward,			27689	42
Sep.	12,	To Charles D. Lybrand, for 11,000 paving bricks at Logan square at \$8,.....	153	88 00
		To John Bosler, for 6000 gutter bricks to do. at \$7 25,	154	43 50
		To O. Kerbaugh, for 4½ bushels lime for white-washing Rittenhouse square at 20 cts., 95 do. at 19 cts.,	155	18 95
		To Enoch Thorn, for carpenter's work, 7 journeymen 44½ days at \$1 50, 1 do. 8 days at \$1 25, for market houses and Franklin square,	156	76 37
		To John Diehl, for labourers and carters 2 weeks at public squares, incidentals, and Tobacco warehouse,	157	123 12
26,		To Charles Elliott & Son, for 4 tons of coal at Tobacco warehouse, at \$4 50, 20 do. for City Hall at \$4 50,	158	108 00
		To James M'Cann, for 65 barrels of charcoal for offices in City Hall at 28 cts.,	159	18 20
		To John Diehl, for 1 month's salary due 30th inst., of superintendent, clerk, and watchman at Tobacco warehouse, superintendents at public squares and burial ground, watchmen at Permanent bridge and State-house steeple, and labourers 2 weeks at public squares, Tobacco warehouse, market houses, and incidentals,	160	624 66
		To William Hamilton, for 132 one horse loads of gravel and hauling to Logan square, at 30 cts.,	161	40 92
		To Enoch Thorn, for carpenter's work, 4 journeymen 48 days at \$1 50, at High and Second st. markets and Permanent bridge, \$72, and salary as City Carpenter, 3 months to 30th inst., \$225,	162	297 00
Oct.	10,	To Enoch Thorn, for carpenter's work, 8 journeymen 19½ days at \$1 50, at market houses, incidentals and Permanent bridge.	163	29 25
		To George H. M'Cully, for superintendence of clock at New Market Hall, 3 months to 1st inst.,	164	12 50
		To James M. Conrad, for 3 months' rent of office for clerks of High street market, due 1st inst.,	165	18 75
		To D. Hutchinson, for carting 72 one horse loads at 25 cts., to and from market houses, public squares and Permanent bridge, Sept. 1848,	166	18 00
		To Robert Hutchinson, for 41 feet of hose for		
Amount carried forward,			29206	64

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.	
Amount brought forward,			29206	64	
Oct.	10,	Independence square, at 33 cts., extra screw \$1, new brass piece to pipe 75 cts.,	167	13	95
		To John Diehl, for labourers' and carters' wages 2 weeks, at Tobacco warehouse, public squares, market houses and Permanent bridge,	168	90	50
		To William H. C. Riggs, for care of State-house and astronomical clock, 3 months to 1st inst.,	169	50	00
		To Adam Traquair, for petty bills paid 3 months to 1st inst.,	170	170	70
	31,	To Reeves, Buck & Co., for 5 kegs W. H. nails, 500 lbs. at 5 cts., portorage 25 cts., . . .	171	25	25
		To Charles D. Lybrand, for 1200 circular bricks at \$60, delivered to city carpenter's shop,	172	72	00
		To Charles Elliott & Son, for 4 tons Beaver Meadow coal, for city carpenter's shop and Maycr's office, at \$4 50,	173	18	00
		To Enoch Thorn, for carpenter's work, 3 journeymen 24 days at \$1 50, at Permanent bridge, market houses and Mayor's office, . . .	174	36	00
		To John Diehl, for 1 month's salary, due this day, of superintendent, clerk and watchman at Tobacco warehouse, superintendents of public squares and burial ground, watchmen at Permanent bridge and State-house steeple, and labourers' wages 2 weeks at Tobacco warehouse and State-house,	175	618	41
	Nov. 14,	To do., for commissions at 2 per cent., on collecting \$7598 54, city rents, &c., from Aug. 26th, 1848, to Nov. 13th, 1848,	176	151	97
		To do., for labourers' wages, 3 weeks, at Tobacco warehouse, public squares, market houses, and incidentals,	177	115	25
		To Enoch Thorn, for carpenter's work, 1 journeymen 10 days at \$1 50, 2 do. 11 $\frac{3}{4}$ days at \$1 25, at public squares, market houses, and incidentals,	178	29	60
		To American Philosophical Society, 3 quarters' rent of rooms occupied for Mayor's office, due 19th inst., at \$400 per annum,	179	300	00
	28,	To John Diehl, for 1 month's salary, due 30th inst., of superintendent, clerk and watchman at Tobacco warehouse, superintendents of public squares and burial ground, watchmen at Permanent bridge and State-house steeple, and labourers' wages 2 weeks at Tobacco warehouse, and incidentals,	180	604	41
Amount carried forward,			31502	77	

1818.		No.	Dolls.	C.
	Amount brought forward,		31502	77
Nov.	28, To John Diehl, for county, poor and borough taxes for 1848, on sundry city property,	181	2262	48
	To Samuel M. Fox, for 1500 common paving bricks for Second street market, at \$7,	182	10	50
	To Weaver & Volkmar, for radiator stove for Mayor's orders, \$28, 42 lbs. Russia pipe at 31 $\frac{1}{4}$ cts., 3 elbows and collar extra, \$1 75, 2 large pieces zinc at \$1 50,	183	44	62
Dec.	12, To Collar, Neveling & Hay, for repairs at Mulberry and Chesnut street wharves on Delaware,	184	199	13
	To J. & J. B. Andrews & Co., for lumber from July 5th, 1848, to Nov. 28th, 1848, for public squares, Permanent bridge, Tobacco warehouse, public wharves, incidentals, and market houses,	185	208	38
	To Harbert & Davis, for lumber for Franklin and Penn squares,	186	45	74
	To Thomas Williams, Jr. & Co., for lumber for public squares, market houses and Permanent bridge, from July 1st, 1848, to September 30th, 1848,	187	85	06
	To Margaret Christie, for upholsterer's work, taking up, putting down and cleaning carpet, taking down, cleaning and packing up black curtains, &c., in Council chambers and Independence Hall, from June 10th, 1848, to August 1st, 1848,	188	22	75
	To E. Cowperthwaite & Co., for sundry upholsterer's work and materials in Independence Hall, Council chambers, Mayor's, City Treasurer's and City Commissioner's offices, from January 5th, 1848, to November 13th, 1848,	189	82	30
	To William H Knight, for hardware for State-house, market houses, and Mayor's office, from July 10th, 1848, to Oct. 26th, 1848, . .	190	24	59
	To Baxter, Brothers, for hardware for Penn square, market houses, and incidentals, from July 1st, 1848, to Nov. 22d, 1848,	191	29	66
	To Moses Briggs, for sundry painting and glazing at market houses. Tobacco warehouse, and incidentals, from Aug. 5th, 1848, to Oct. 4th, 1848, painting 8 sheds at market houses at \$8 50,	192	81	02
	To John Thomason & Son, for sundry tin work at market houses, tin cups for Kittenhouse square, glazing and repairing gas lamps for Washington square, 2 large water pots and			
Amount carried forward,			34599	—

		No.	D: <i>lls.</i>	C.
1848.	Amount brought forward,		34599	00
	ten cups for Independence square, from April 18th, 1848, to October 16th, 1848,	193	21	37
Dec. 12,	To J. & B. Orne & Co., for 32 $\frac{2}{3}$ square yards oil cloth for City Commissioners' office, at \$1 50, 1 remnant do. \$1 25,	194	50	25
	To John Helms, for making walks, digging holes and filling them with good earth, and planting and furnishing 230 trees in Penn square, \$890 50, less cash on acc't, \$640 50,	195	250	00
	To C. Albright, for county and poor taxes on estate north side of Chestnut street wharf on Delaware,	196	20	40
	To Thomas Hartley, for do. on city property, High street ward, 1849,	197	27	20
	To George H. Taber, for county tax, 1848, on do., North Mulberry ward, 1848,	198	97	00
	To Benjamin H. Pawling, for sundry smith work for public squares, market houses, and incidentals, from July 3d, 1848, to Nov. 11th, 1848,	199	30	54
	To John Diehl, for labourers' wages, 2 weeks, for public squares, Tobacco warehouse, market houses, public wharves, and incidentals,	200	79	33
	To Joseph Brown, for 28 doz. pieces cotton tape, 12 yards each at 37 cents, for Tobacco warehouse,	201	10	36
	To Francis Dardis, for 200 lbs. of nails for Tobacco warehouse, at 10 cts.,	202	20	00
	To Horton & Dickinson, for bricklayer's work at market houses, incidentals, and Logan square, from July 14th, 1848, to Nov. 27th, 1848,	203	141	35
27,	To William L. Ward, for care of clock, Front and High streets, 6 months to 31st inst.,	204	25	00
	To George H. M'Cully, for do. at New Market Hall, to 31st inst.,	205	12	50
	To D. Hutchinson, for carting 42 one horse loads at 25 cents, to and from public squares, shop, Second street market, Mayor's office, State-house, and Permanent bridge, 3 do. black earth for State-house at 37 $\frac{1}{2}$ cts., 1 do. manure for do. at \$1, Dec. 1848,	206	12	62
	To Benjamin M. Feltwell, for repairs at furnace, City Hall, from Sept. 28th, 1848, to Nov. 25th, 1848,	207	42	61
	To J. M. Conrad, for 3 months' rent of office for clerks of High street market, due 31st inst.,	208	18	75
	To Abigail Physick, for 6 months' ground rent of 2 lots, Filbert street near Schuylkill		
	Amount carried forward,		35458	28

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.
	Amount brought forward,		35458	28
	Eighth street (station house No. 4), due 31st inst.,	209	50	00
Dec. 27,	To Adam Traquair, for petty bills paid for Committee, from 1st Oct. last to date,	210	219	28
	To Enoch Thorn, for 3 months' salary as City Carpenter, due 31st inst.,	211	225	00
	To John Diehl, for 1 month's salary, due 31st inst., of superintendent, clerk, and watchman at Tobacco warehouse, superintendents at public squares, and burial ground, watchmen at Permanent bridge and State-house steeple, and labourers 2 weeks at Tobacco warehouse, and incidentals,	212	562	16
	To Enoch Thorn for carpenter's work, 1 journeyman 22 $\frac{3}{4}$ days at \$1 50, 1 do. 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ days at \$1 25, from November 14th, 1848, to Dec. 23d, 1848, at public squares, Permanent bridge, incidentals, and market houses,	213	49	74
30,	To John Ware, for a fine imposed, refunded, ..	214	20	00
	To William H. C. Riggs, for cleaning and repairs of State-house clock, 3 workmen 20 days each at \$2 50, 2 new ropes 76 lbs. at 30 cts., sundry materials \$2 20, 1 quarter's salary, due 31st inst., for winding, care and regulating State-house clock, astronomical clock and transit instrument,	215	225	00
	To P. R. Hoopes, for 10 tons coal for City Hall at \$4 25,	216	42	50
	To Parkinson & Co., for $\frac{1}{2}$ peck of ice daily, from 5th June, 1848, to Oct. 3d, 1848, 17 $\frac{2}{7}$ weeks at 80 cts.,	217	13	85
	To David T. Steward, for 1 year's rent, due 31st inst., of room for clerk of Western market,	218	12	00
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31,	To Account No. 6, year 1849,		4092	19
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			40970	00
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1848.	No. 7. Committee on Legacies and Trusts.	No.	Dolls.	C.
	CR.			
Jan. 1,	By amount at credit from year 1847,.....		1009	92
Mar. 30,	By Appropriation by Ordinance of Councils of this date,		5340	08
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	DR. For the following payments on requisitions of the Committee and orders of the Mayor.			
Jan. 6,	To Adam Traquair, for cash paid for inciden- tals for Committee,	1	1	32
	To Sheridan & Kellogg, for 2 carriages for Committee, twice at \$3,	2	12	00
Feb. 17,	To William L. Maddock, for $\frac{1}{4}$ box Corbrey segars,	3	6	50
Mar. 16,	To Thomas G. Connor, for services at Harris- burg,	4	100	00
May 18,	To George W. Brown, for $\frac{1}{4}$ box of segars for Committee,	5	6	25
	To J. A. Clayton, treasurer, for expenses of Board of Engineers of Middle Fire District for the ensuing year,	6	200	00
June 22,	To Adam Traquair, for advance to pay petty bills for Committee,	7	20	00
	To Tobias Huber, for incidental expenses of Committee,	8	49	00
July 20,	To William Watts, President of Washington Engine Co., for one-half of annual appro- priation,	10	150	00
	To Samuel Morgan, Treasurer Reliance Fire Co., for do,	11	150	00
	To Adam Eckfeldt, President Good Will Fire Engine Co., for do,	12	150	00
	To Charles E. Warren, President Harmony Fire Co., for do,	13	150	00
	To Edmund A. Souder, President Diligent Engine Co., for do,	14	150	00
	To John G. Greil, Treasurer Columbia Engine Co., for do,	15	150	00
	To Edmund Bradshaw, President Fame Hose Co., for do,	16	150	00
	To Henry M. Kimney, President Southwark Hose Co., for do,	17	150	00
	To Henry L. Sinexon, President Robert Morris Hose Co., for do,	18	150	00
	To Patrick Fearon, Treasurer Schuylkill Hose Co., for do,	19	150	00
	To John White, President Western Hose Co., for do,	20	150	00
	Amount carried forward.		<hr/> 2045	<hr/> 07

1848.		No.	Dolls.	C.
	Amount brought forward,		2045	07
July	20, To Peter Fritz, President Perseverance Hose Co., for one-half of annual appropriation, . . .	21	150	00
	To Charles Schaffer, President Resolution Hose Co., for do.,	22	150	00
	To Jacob H. Lex, President Philadelphia Hose Co., for do.,	23	150	00
	To John Briggs, President Phoenix Hose Co., for do.,	24	150	00
	To John Kames, President Diligent Hose Co., for do.,	25	150	00
	To George R. Fisher for expenses relative to Boudinot lands,	26	200	00
27,	To Robert Tempest, President Hibernia Fire Co., for one-half of annual appropriation, . .	27	150	00
Aug.	4, To J. W. Fritz, Treasurer Neptune Hose Co., for do.,	28	150	00
	17, To James C. Lapperty, for refreshments for Committee,	29	20	00
	18, To Robert Tempest, President Hibernia Fire Co., for balance of appropriation,	30	150	00
	To J. W. Fritz, Treasurer Neptune Hose Co., for do.,	31	150	00
	To William Watt, President Washington Fire Engine Co., for do.,	32	150	00
	To Samuel Morgan, Treasurer Reliance Fire Co., for do.,	33	150	00
	To Adam Eckfeldt, President Good Will Fire Engine Co., for do.,	34	150	00
	To Emmor Kimber, Jr., President Harmony Fire Co., for do.,	35	150	00
	To Edmund A. Souder, President Diligent Engine Co., for do.,	36	150	00
	To John G. Greil, Treasurer Columbia Engine Co., for do.,	37	150	00
	To Edmund Bradshaw, President Fame Hose Co., for do.,	38	150	00
	To H. M. Kimmey, President Southwark Hose Co., for do.,	39	150	00
	To Henry L. Sinexon, President Robert Morris Hose Co., for do.,	40	150	00
	To Patrick Fearon, Treasurer Schuylkill Hose Co., for do.,	41	150	00
	To John White, President Western Hose Co., for do.,	42	150	00
	To Peter Fritz, President Perseverance Hose Co., for do.,	43	150	00
	To Charles Schaffer, President Resolution Hose Co., for do.,	44	150	00
	To Jacob H. Lex, President Philadelphia Hose Co., for do.,	45	150	00
Amount carried forward,			5715	07

1848.		No	Dolls.	C.
	Amount brought forward,		5715	07
Aug.	18, To P. C. Ellmaker, President Phœnix Hose Co., for balance of appropriation,	46	150	00
	To John Kames, President Diligent Hose Co., for do.,	47	150	00
Dec.	21, To Samuel W. Ayres, for $\frac{1}{2}$ box of segars for Committee,	48	12	00
	To Adam Traquair, for petty bills paid for Committee, from May 20th, 1848, to Nov. 18th, 1848, as per vouchers,	49	22	77
	28, To Sheridan & Kellogg, for 2 carriages twice for Committee, at \$3,	50	12	00
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31,	To Account No. 7, year 1849,		288	16
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CITY COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE.

Philadelphia, December 31, 1848.

Miscellaneous Receipts by Adam Traquair, President of the Board of
City Commissioners, from January 1st, to December 31st, 1848.

1848.			Dolls.	C.
Jan. 17,	From B. Gerhard for Samuel Allen, per L. Schofield, City Commissioner, for repaving gutter west side of Fourth between Walnut and Prune sts., after curbstone had been set,		2	00
	From David Milne per L. Schofield, City Commissioner, for a lot of old flagstone,		6	00
	From David Hamilton per L. Schofield, City Commissioner, for 6 months' rent of grass lot in Moyamensing, being part of a lot used by City Commissioners as a depot, due 1st inst.,		40	00
18	From B. H. Pawling per Enoch Thorn, City Carpenter, for a quantity of old iron, large and small,		69	04
	From Miss A. M. Lewis per L. Schofield, City Commissioner, for repaving gutter east side of Twelfth, south of Spruce street, after laying curbstone for coach-way,		1	70
	From W. E. Horner per L. Schofield, City Commissioner, for repaving gutter south side of Chestnut between Juniper and Broad streets, after new curbstone had been set,		4	00
	From William Wharton per L. Schofield, City Commissioner, for repaving gutter south side of Chestnut between Eighth and Ninth streets, after new curbstone had been set, including loss of time of workmen,		3	50
	From Wright & Hunter per L. Schofield, City Commissioner, for repaving gutter east side of Ninth between Lombard and Cedar streets, after curbstone had been set,		2	00
	From Aaron Doane per L. Schofield, City Commissioner, for repaving gutters in front of 3 houses, west side of Eleventh between Walnut and George streets, after new curbstone had been set,		6	00
	From T. S. R. Fassitt per L. Schofield, City Commissioner, for repaving gutter, south side of Chestnut between Eighth and Ninth streets, after new curbstone had been set, including loss of time by workmen,		3	50
	From J. A. Brown per L. Schofield, City Commissioner, for repaving gutter, north side of Chestnut			
Amount carried forward,			137	74

		<i>Dolls.</i>	<i>C.</i>
1848.	Amount brought forward,	137	74
Jan. 18,	and west side of Front streets, after new curbstone had been set,.....	9	00
	From S. Price, per J. O. Boyd, per L. Schofield, City Commissioner, for repaving gutter, south side of Walnut between Tenth and Eleventh streets, after new curbstone had been set,.....	3	50
	From Adam M'Elroy per L. Schofield, City Commissioner for repaving gutter, south side of Pine between Seventh and Eighth streets, after curbstone had been set,.....	4	00
	From Rufus Welch & Co. per L. Schofield, City Commissioner, for a double flagstone crossing in Chestnut between Eighth and Ninth streets, after deducting paid John Lloyd for flagstone \$14 25,.....	14	50
	From M. E. Boker per L. Schofield, City Commissioner, for repaving gutters, south side of Spruce between Broad and Northrop streets, after new curbstone had been set,.....	36	60
	From John M. Read per L. Schofield, City Commissioner, for labour and materials in repaving Miller's Court opposite his premises, north side,.....	15	59
	From M. L. Burr per L. Schofield, City Commissioner, for labour and materials in repaving portion of Pleasant Avenue opposite his premises,.....	27	22
19,	From John Butler per L. Schofield, City Commissioner, for repaving gutter, south side of Walnut between Schuylkill Sixth and Schuylkill Seventh streets, after repairs,.....	1	50
20,	From Mrs. Lee Brady, widow, per L. Schofield, City Commissioner, for labour and materials in paving portion of Smith's Court, east side, south from Gaskill street,.....		90
	From John Lindsay per L. Schofield, City Commissioner, for a lot of building stone,	1	50
21,	From J. Rusch per L. Schofield, City Commissioner, for repaving a portion of Pleasant Avenue, opposite his premises,	16	82
	From Eighth Presbyterian Church per L. Schofield, City Commissioner, for repaving gutter in front of church, after curbstone had been displaced and reset,.....	3	50
22,	From Henry Bickley per Enoch Thorn, City Carpenter, for 3 old lamps,.....	2	25
	From Julia Reid for A. J. Reid, per L. Schofield, City Commissioner, for repaving gutters, east side of Ninth between Lombard and Cedar streets, after curbstone had been set in front of two houses,	4	00
25,	From Edward T. Randolph & Co. per E. Thorn, City Carpenter, for drilling nine holes, and putting in		
	Amount carried forward,	278	62

		Dolls.	C.
1848.	Amount brought forward,	278	62
	pins, occasioned by mistake in inlet castings, at 31½ cents,	2	81
Jan. 26,	From Guy Henderson per L. Schofield, City Commissioner, for labour and materials in repaving portion of Smith's court, south-east, corner of Gaskill street,		95
	From Jacob S. Waln per L. Schofield, City Commissioner, for labour and materials in repairing private sewer across Delaware Avenue between Chestnut and Walnut streets,	7	42
28,	From G. W. Smith per L. Schofield, City Commissioner, for repaving portion of Pleasant Avenue, opposite his premises, including materials and regulation.	3	34
31,	From Hartman Kuhn, Jr. per L. Schofield, City Commissioner, for repaving gutter, south side of Walnut between Ninth and Tenth streets, after new curbstone had been set,	2	50
Feb. 3,	From W. Wurts and C. M. Dupuy, per T. K. Wallace, City Commissioner, for materials and labour in repaving gutters, east side of Front and west side of Water between High and Chestnut streets, after new curbstone had been set, each \$15,	30	00
	From G. L. Broom per T. K. Wallace, City Commissioner, for repairing portions of Bread street, Fetter Lane and Quarry street, occasioned by throwing down walls,	5	00
	From George S. Lang per T. K. Wallace, City Commissioner, for repaving gutters in front of premises, south-west corner of Ninth and Filbert streets, after new curbstone had been set,	5	00
	From Jacob Dock per T. K. Wallace, City Commissioner, for repaving gutters in Schuylkill Sixth, Mulberry, and Grace streets, after curbstone had been set,	12	00
	From W. S. Hansell per T. K. Wallace, City Commissioner, for repaving gutter in Water, south of High street, after curbstone had been reset,	3	00
7,	From Joseph Yeager per T. K. Wallace, City Commissioner, for repaving gutter, north side of Mulberry between Schuylkill Sixth and Schuylkill Seventh streets, after curbstone had been set,	2	50
14,	From W. S. Martien per T. K. Wallace, City Commissioner, for repaving over drain in Carpenter between Sixth and Seventh streets.	3	00
17,	From Henry Bickley per Enoch Thorn, City Carpenter, for an old lamp,		75
26,	From John Topham for Joseph H. Smith, per T. K. Wallace, City Commissioner, for repaving gutter,		
	Amount carried forward,	356	89

			Dolls.	C.
1848.		Amount brought forward,	356	89
		north side of Lawrence next Juniper street, after curbstome had been reset,.....	4	00
Feb.	29,	From John Yard, Jr., agent, per T. K. Wallace, City Commissioner, for repaving over drain, Vine between Eighth and Chester streets, \$3, and repaving gutters north side of Vine between Thirteenth and Broad streets, after deducting \$2 paid workmen, ..	5	00
		From Allen Robinett per T. K. Wallace, City Commissioner, for repaving gutters, north side of Mulberry between Schuylkill Sixth and Schuylkill Seventh streets, after new curbstone had been set, ..	2	50
		From C. A. Dannaker per T. K. Wallace, City Commissioner, for repaving gutter, east side of Third above Sassafras street, after curbstone had been set,	2	00
		From Anthony Morris for Estate of T. Morris, dec'd, per T. K. Wallace, City Commissioner, for repaving parts of Bread and Quarry streets, occasioned by throwing down walls, after deducting \$5 paid workmen,	5	00
		From Enoch Taylor per T. K. Wallace, City Commissioner, for repaving gutter, south side of Mulberry between Fifth and Sixth streets, after new curbstone had been set, and deducting \$2 paid workmen,	1	00
		From J. B. Mitchell per T. K. Wallace, City Commissioner, for repaving gutters, south-east corner of Tenth and Morgan streets, after resetting curbstone, and deducting \$2 paid workmen,	3	00
		From John M'Arthur per T. K. Wallace, City Commissioner, for repaving gutters, west side of Star alley between Sassafras and Cherry streets, after curbstone had been reset,	2	00
Mar.	7,	From John Rice per T. K. Wallace, City Commissioner, for repaving gutters, Church alley, \$6, do. do. two houses east side of Sixth south of Vine street, and hauling away dirt, \$8, for 14 old lamps per E. Thorn, City Carpenter, at 87½, \$12 25, repaving gutters, east side of Third, between Mulberry and Quarry streets, \$4, and for repaving gutter, High street and Franklin Place, \$2,	32	25
	8,	From A. S. Roberts, Esq., per T. K. Wallace, City Commissioner, for digging out for, and repaving over drain, south side of Vine between Schuylkill Fifth and Schuylkill Sixth streets,	5	00
	11,	From James M'Closkey & Co. per L. Schofield, City Commissioner, for 34 one horse loads of small paving stone delivered in Camden, N. J. at \$1 37½, ..	46	75
		From James M'Closkey & Co. per L. Schofield, City Commissioner, for 13 loads as above, delivered in Camden, N. J.,	17	87
		Amount carried forward.	483	26

		Dolls.	C.
1848.	Amount brought forward,	483	26
Mar. 20,	From Jacob Holahan per L. Schofield, City Commissioner, for labour and materials in repaving Rose alley,	10	28
24,	From Robert W. Smith per L. Schofield, City Commissioner, for 116 tons of refuse paving stone as ballast for ship Lehigh at \$1 12½, deduct paid hauling 116 loads at 37½ cts., \$43 50,	87	00
25,	From Paul Denckla per T. K. Wallace, City Commissioner, for repaving gutters, north-west corner of High and Eleventh streets, after new curbstone had been set, deduct paid workmen, \$5,	5	00
	From William Wayne per T. K. Wallace, City Commissioner, for repaving gutters in Rittenhouse and Schuylkill Eighth streets, after curbstone had been set, and paying workmen \$4,	3	0
	From Thomas Mansfield & Co. per T. K. Wallace, City Commissioner, for 5 one horse loads at \$1 25, deduct hauling \$1 25,	5	00
	From James Fassitt per T. K. Wallace, City Commissioner, for repaving gutters in Bank, between High and Chestnut streets, deducting \$4 paid workmen,	4	00
29,	From Mark Whitesides per L. Schofield, City Commissioner, for a load of ballast stone, for which there was no ticket,	75	
	From Gates & Baird for E. Clark, per T. K. Wallace, City Commissioner, for materials and labour in repaving gutters in Front, High and Water streets, after new curbstone had been set,	25	00
April 3,	From Enoch Thorn, City Carpenter, for sundry articles sold, as follows: an old rammer to William White, \$1 50, an old lamp to T. Robinson, 75 cts., two old lamps to David Fell, \$1 50, two do. do. Edward Clark, \$1 50, one old do. Robert Tickner, \$1, one do. to A. C. Brown, \$1,	7	25
7,	From George W. Wharton, for three blank books, not wanted by City Commissioners,	3	00
8,	From Samuel J. Henderson, Esq., for labour and materials in repairing portion of Rose alley, in front of his property, per L. Schofield,	3	84
11,	From Catharine Jones, widow, per L. Schofield, City Commissioner, for labour and materials in repaving portion of Rose alley, in front of her property,	22	44
13,	From John Hewston, per Enoch Thorn, City Carpenter, for a piece of old flagstone, 12 feet 6 inches at 14 cts.,	1	89
14,	From the Estate of James Hall, deceased, per L. Schofield, City Commissioner, for labour and materials in repaving portion of Rose alley,	4	36
	Amount carried forward	666	07

			Dolls.	C.
1848.		Amount brought forward,	666	07
May	19,	From James Nelson, per A. Yates, Capt. District No. 4, for 3 old lamps,	3	00
	31,	From David Bray, per T. K. Wallace, City Commissioner, for repaving gutter, north side of Vine between Sixth and Marshall streets,	2	00
		From Robert M'Grath, per T. K. Wallace, City Commissioner, for repaving gutter, south side of Mulberry between Eleventh and Twelfth streets,	2	00
June	1,	From Joseph Roberts, per T. K. Wallace, City Commissioner, for repaving gutter, south side of Mulberry between Seventh and Eighth streets,	2	00
	29,	From Enoch Thorn, City Carpenter, for two of the oldest watch boxes, sold to S. G. Levering at \$3 = \$6; and one do. to Joseph Maple, \$3,	9	00
July	3,	From Isaac Sulger per Abraham Yates, Captain District No. 4, for sale of 8 old oil lamps at \$1,	8	00
	11,	From David Hamilton per Lane Schofield, City Commissioner, for 6 months' rent of grass lot in Moyamensing, being part of lot used by Commissioners as a depot, due 1st inst.,	40	00
	13,	From William Robinson, Treasurer Odd Fellows' Order, by T. K. Wallace, City Commissioner, for repaving gutters and post holes opposite their Hall, north Sixth street,	14	00
	24,	From Jeremiah Johnson and S. W. Middleton per Lane Schofield, City Commissioner, for 8 one horse loads small paving stone at \$1 25, to Johnson, \$10, and lot of old flagstone to Middleton, \$1,	11	00
	29,	From Perot & Hoffman per L. Schofield, City Commissioner, for 50 feet lineal of flagstone at 33 cts.,	16	50
Sep.	28,	From T. K. Wallace, son of late T. K. Wallace, City Commissioner, deceased, for 10 one horse loads of culling flagstone for Margaretta street, private work, at 50 cts.,	5	00
		From Estate of Henry Pratt, deceased, per T. K. Wallace, son of T. K. Wallace, late City Commissioner, deceased, for repaving gutters on Second between Sassafras street and Elfrith's alley, after deducting paid workmen, \$3,	2	00
		From C. A. Rubicam, per T. K. Wallace, son of T. K. Wallace, late Commissioner, deceased, for repaving gutters north side of Appletree alley, after deducting paid workmen \$3,	3	00
		From John Peterson per T. K. Wallace, son of T. K. Wallace, late City Commissioner, for repaving gutter, north side of Mulberry, between Eighth and Ninth streets, after curbstone had been set,	2	00
		From George Chandler per T. K. Wallace, son of T. K. Wallace, late Commissioner, for repaving after		
Amount carried forward,			785	57

		Dolls.	C.
1848.	Amount brought forward,	785	57
	curbstone had been set, north side of Filbert between Broad and Schuylkill Eighth streets, and after deducting paid workmen \$3,	2	00
Sep. 28,	From Mrs. R. Gumm per T. K. Wallace, son of T. K. Wallace, late City Commissioner, for repaving gutters, Cherry and Thirteenth streets, after new curbstone had been set,	8	00
	From Reeves, Buck & Co. per T. K. Wallace, son of T. K. Wallace, late City Commissioner, for old lamps and cups at \$1 50, and 4 old lamp irons at 25 cts.,	7	00
Oct. 17,	From John Hemphill, per A. G. Hines, City Commissioner, for 6 one horse loads of culling paving stone, delivered in Broad near Vine street, at \$1 12½,	6	75
23,	From Alexander J. Derbyshire per A. G. Hines, City Commissioner, repaving over drain in Delaware Avenue north side of Mulberry street, by late T. K. Wallace, City Commissioner, deceased,	3	00
26,	From Committee of Councils "On City Property" per A. G. Hines, City Commissioner, for 2 team loads of paving stone, delivered at western abutment of Permanent bridge, at \$3,	6	00
	From John Morrisson per L. Schofield, City Commissioner, for old flagstone to Juniper and Owen streets, 12 loads at 90 cts.,	10	80
27,	From James Kilpatrick per A. G. Hines, City Commissioner, for 2 one horse cart loads of culling paving stone, by late T. K. Wallace, City Commissioner, deceased, at \$1 12½,	2	25
Nov. 18,	From Charles Clouser per L. Schofield, City Commissioner, for 5 one horse cart loads of culling paving stone at \$1,	5	00
24,	From Henry Bickley per Abraham Yates, Capt. Dist. No. 4, for 8 gallons of oil dregs at 25 cts.,	2	00
29,	From the Estate of Thomas K. Wallace, deceased, late City Commissioner, per R. H. Smith, City Clerk, for wages of J. Henry, labourer, pay roll No. 175, September 9, 1848, not called for,	11	00
Dec. 15,	From John Beatty per A. G. Hines, City Commissioner, for 4 one horse cart loads of culling paving stone at \$1,	4	00
16,	From John A. Brown, per B. T. Traquair, Collector for City, for repaving gutters after new curbstone had been set, north side of Blackhorse alley, and west side of Front street,	5	00
	From John Peterson per B. T. Traquair, Collector for City, for repaving gutters after new curbstone had been set, north-east corner of Eighth and Mulberry streets,	10	00
	Amount carried forward,	868	37

1848.			Dolls.	C.
		Amount brought forward,	868	37
Dec.	19,	From Thomas M'Knight for John Hemphill per A. G. Hines, City Commissioner, for 3 one horse cart loads of culling paving stone, delivered in Broad near Vine street, at \$1 12½,.....	3	37
	20,	From several persons per Enoch Thorn, City Carpenter, for sale of 6 old lamps, and 1 lamp iron, to wit: Thomas Gilmore 2 old lamps at \$1, \$2; Mr. M'Menomy 1 do. \$1 50; Mr. Gallagher 1 do. \$1 50; Lewis Thompson 50 cts.; J. W. West do. \$1 50; Mr. Vanleer 1 do. and iron, \$1 30,.....	8	30
		<i>Eight hundred and eighty dollars and four cents.</i>	880	04

Respectfully submitted.

ADAM TRAQUAIR, *President.*

ACCOUNT OF MARKET RENTS RECEIVED IN 1848.

1848.		Dolls.	C.	1848.		Dolls.	C.
Jan. 15,	J. R. Porter,	90			Brought forward,	959	
	S. Bradford,	35		Jan. 17,	F. Velmer,	40	
	S. Turner,	23			N. Speakman,	20	
	C. Meredith,	35			J. J. Griffith,	20	
	M. Stafford,	15			J. B. M'Cay,	20	
	M. Sowers,	20			J. Duburg,	14	
	C. Bishop,	20			O. Wheelock,	146	
	J. M. Fuller,	25			C. Crothers,	20	
	J. Root,	10			M. Berry,	70	
	F. & Levring,	20			P. Wilson,	10	
	G. Sharpless,	20			M. Murry,	10	
	L. & Paschall,	20			S. & Stout,	45	
	J. Maddock,	20			J. Hetzell,	12	
	J. Stinger,	20			G. Snyder,	20	
	G. Kesler,	20			N. Beard,	42	50
	J. Thatcher,	20			R. Carr,	20	
	N. Lukins,	20			J. Engleman,	40	
	S. M'Clellan,	20			E. G. Passmore, ..	20	
	J. Slook,	20			J. G. Conrad,	20	
	T. Morgan,	20			W. C. Longstreath,	20	
	W. Eaves,	20		13,	M. Watson,	10	
	J. R. Ulmstad,	20			M. Rose,	10	
	S. Root,	8			R. Drake,	8	
	J. M. Worrell,	20			S. Lindsay,	20	
	T. Garrigues,	20			J. G. Ash,	20	
	J. Magg Jr.,	20			E. Bradshaw,	45	
	P. Streeper,	20			P. Young,	28	
	J. Bowman & Co., ..	20			C. Righter,	20	
	M. Smith,	45			C. Sheppard,	20	
	S. Mink,	25			J. Roth,	12	
	J. Briggs,	20			J. Garrett,	20	
	S. Rhoades,	20			J. Leedom,	20	
	M. Smith,	6			S. Morton,	20	
	J. Howell,	12			R. Barrett,	90	
	B. M'Gauvron, ...	15			B. & Barrett,	45	
17,	M. Danaker,	20			M. C. Smith,	20	
	S. Dengas,	20			J. U. Smith,	20	
	J. Myers,	12			M. Rhoades,	20	
	W. Leshar,	12			J. Thomas,	10	
	J. Dilmore,	12		19,	J. Harper,	20	
	J. Wilkins,	20			W. H. Bunting, ..	20	
	E. Aiberson,	12			G. Shisler,	12	
	P. Stoy & Co., ...	45			C. Ackre,	20	
	A. Myers,	12			H. Reynolds,	20	
	S. Conyngham, ...	10			G. S. Garrett,	20	
	Carried forward,	959			Carried forward,	2138	50

		Dolls.	C.			Dolls.	C.
1848.	Brought forward,	2138	50	1848.	Brought forward,	3308	50
Jan. 19,	S. Longstreath, . . .	20		Jan. 20	H. & Roseman, . . .	20	
	S. Lytle,	20			J. Dunwoody & Co.,	20	
	F. Simon,	20			J. Bosler, Sr.,	77	50
	J. Gibson,	20		21,	H. Myers,	20	
	J. Jordon,	20			W. Rhoades, Jr., . .	20	
	W. Simon,	12			O. Brook,	20	
	P. & H. Colhour, . .	20			E. Matlack,	20	
	J. W. Davis,	20			C. Westenberger, . .	20	
	P. Magg,	20			W. Hall,	20	
	G. Gettz,	40			J. Sixty,	10	
	D. & Rittenhouse, . .	20			J. P. Eyre,	20	
	T. Davis,	20			P. Easterday,	18	
	W. Hidderman, . . .	20			T. Cassin,	20	
	M. Dietz,	20			P. Yeager,	35	
	S. Levis,	20			T. P. Clement &		
	J. Michner,	20			Co.,	45	
	R. Sutton,	15			A. Davis,	20	
	H. Walker,	20			J. Hutchinson,	20	
	J. & S. Ogden, . . .	20			J. Reese,	20	
	J. Ogden,	20			W. Reese,	10	
	J. M. Ogden,	20			G. Reese,	17	50
	J. Lindsay,	20			N. M. Lippincott &		
	W. Myers,	20			Co.,	45	
	S. G. Hill,	20			B. Garrigues,	20	
	P. J. Hoffman,	10			J. S. Peters,	20	
	J. Roberts,	20			B. Bonsall,	20	
	G. Wallace,	20			W. Bunting,	20	
	J. Wallace,	40			J. O. Glover & Co.,	25	
	G. Wallace,	10			N. L. Garrett,	20	
	J. Wallace,	10			W. Kennedy,	20	
	C. Bastian,	20			W. B. Trout,	20	
	P. Simon,	20			J. Caldwell,	20	
	T. & Harding,	20			S. Boone,	15	
	E. Wallace,	15			T. Wilson,	20	
20,	G. Copple,	12			G. B. Howard,	20	
	S. P. Purnell,	20			J. M'Affee,	20	
	J. Slyoff,	20			N. Pennell,	20	
	E. Peehin,	20			E. Tyson,	20	
	M. Conrade,	10			C. Austin,	35	
	J. C. Green,	30			M. Oliphant,	9	
	G. Horn,	20			Burrough & Kay, . .	20	
	J. Fox,	28			W. M. Stephens, . . .	20	
	A. Hight,	105			S. H. Davis & Co.,	20	
	W. Rhoads,	20			M. Henderson,	20	
	J. H. Levis,	20			J. L. Miller & Co.,	20	
	C. & H. Shuster, . .	45			H. W. Wills,	35	
	S. Peterman,	20			S. L. Ward,	35	
	M. Taylor,	10			A. Jacoby,	20	
	E. Dougherty,	90			I. Spencer,	60	
	M. Upperman,	8			C. Rhoades,	12	
	S. Shearer,	20			E. Thompson,	12	
	Carried forward.	3308	50		Carried forward,	4444	50

1848.			Dolls. C.	1848.			Dolls. C.
Brought forward,			4444	Brought forward,			5545
Jan. 21,	M. Phillips,	12	50	Jan. 22,	T. B. Donaldson, ..	20	
	S. Sterrell,	12			M. Ward,	35	
	W. Coulston,	20			J. Coulter,	20	
	G. & E. Thomas, ..	20			J. Heacock,	20	
	J. White,	20			E. Garrett,	20	
	A. Poole,	20			H. Pennell,	2	
	W. & H. Bate, ...	25			P. Jones,	20	
	J. Kirk,	20			A. Anderson,	20	
	W. Hoffman,	20			A. & M'Ilhenny, ...	20	
	J. Mathers,	40			W. M'Ilhenny, ...	20	
	J. Campbell,	20			J. Baker,	20	
	J. Bartram,	20			G. Lincoln,	20	
	P. Sager,	20			R. Lincoln,	20	
22,	P. Field,	20			J. W. Fennemore, ..	45	
	W. Lanier,	20			M. Campbell,	8	
	F. Velott,	20			J. Ruthwaine,	20	
	S. Johnson,	20			R. M. Kelly,	20	
	M. Thompson,	20			J. Black,	20	
	P. Lewis,	20			P. H. Hill,	20	
	S. & Moore,	20			J. Hummell,	8	
	S. Garrigues,	20			J. Paschall,	60	
	W. Bryan,	20			J. Fell,	20	
	J. Heston,	20			W. Magg,	20	
	M. Brook,	20			J. Kirk,	20	
	E. Grover,	20			P. Jaquett,	20	
	L. Fraley,	20			G. Smedley,	20	
	W. Hill,	20			J. H. Haines,	20	
	S. A. Reeves,	35			W. James,	20	
	D. Roberts & Co., ..	20			M. & Barrett,	20	
	J. Ward,	20			J. Lewis,	20	
	J. Lincoln,	40			W. Cox, Jr.,	20	
	J. E. Cole & Co., ..	45			R. Plumstead,	20	
	C. L. Westenberger, ..	12			G. Williamson, ...	20	
	J. Jones,	20			T. Daniels,	20	
	W. Booth,	20			W. Davis,	20	
	O. Levis,	20			L. Davis,	8	
	C. Martin,	35			J. C. Knowles, ...	20	
	J. Jackson,	20			A. P. Rudolph, ...	20	
	J. Hutchinson,	20			J. W. Fraley,	20	
	J. Brooke,	20			M. Horner Co., ...	45	
	J. Kay,	25			A. Hughes,	8	
	W. Z. Rhoades & Co.,	20			R. P. Ash,	20	
	A. Martin,	35			T. Pratt,	20	
	W. Balser,	25			J. Hood & Co., ...	20	
	J. Davis,	20			A. G. Hunt,	20	
	S. Pancoast,	20			G. A. Swayne,	20	
	J. Yerkes,	20			J. Thomas,	20	
	E. Yarnall,	20			S. G. Hoops,	20	
	J. L. Bartram,	20			E. Hebbert,	8	
	N. H. Baker,	20			M. Courtney,	45	
					C. Goodwin,	20	
	Carried forward,	5545	50		Carried forward,	6635	50

		Dolls.	C.			Dolls.	C.
1848.	Brought forward,	6635	50	1848.	Brought forward,	7605	50
Jan. 22.	B. Cloud, Jr.,.....	45		Jan. 25.	J. Wagner,.....	12	
21.	J. Douell,.....	35			D. Young,.....	20	
	J. Kennedy,.....	35			F. Fox,.....	20	
	N. Williams,.....	20			G. Dunn,.....	20	
	M. Eaches,.....	20			T. G. Lodge,.....	20	
	J. Schewalter,.....	20			D. Farrell,.....	24	
	S. Bunting,.....	20			S. Norback,.....	12	
	J. Knorr,.....	20			A. Lippincott &		
	A. Ryan,.....	45			Co.,.....	45	
	C. Wagner,.....	15			J. Huston,.....	20	
	M. Benner,.....	20			W. G. Ward,.....	20	
	R. Farrell,.....	13			C. Steel,.....	23	
	N. Fulmer,.....	8			W. E. Roberts,.....	20	
	E. Lewis,.....	20			J. Anderson,.....	45	
	J. Smick,.....	45			W. Smith,.....	12	
	M. Williamson,.....	55			J. Reese,.....	25	
	J. Haney,.....	30			B. & M'Curdy,.....	20	
	J. Holliman,.....	20			J. Trout,.....	110	
	C. Smedley,.....	20			C. Trippner,.....	65	
	H. Smedley,.....	20			E. Lewis,.....	20	
	B. Smedley,.....	20			J. Leedom,.....	20	
	R. Dunk,.....	20			D. Lewling,.....	40	
	A. & Atherly,.....	16			W. Leehler,.....	17	50
	G. Dehaven,.....	35			G. & Williams,.....	20	
	C. Gross,.....	25			W. Simons,.....	20	
	C. Taylor,.....	20			J. Simon,.....	55	
	F. Schmitz,.....	6			M. Simon,.....	20	
	A. Garwin,.....	15			A. & Jordan,.....	20	
	B. E. Moore,.....	20			M. Snyder,.....	45	
	M. Hewitt,.....	12			P. Pratt,.....	20	
	M. Baker,.....	8			M. M. Day,.....	18	
	B. White,.....	5			J. Rudrow,.....	45	
	C. Thompson,.....	6			J. Lawrence,.....	20	
	C. Armbruster,.....	8			W. Siter,.....	20	
	S. Johnson,.....	40			A. Garlinger,.....	12	
	W. Richmond,.....	25			S. Haines,.....	6	
	J. Morris,.....	3			R. Humphries,.....	26	
	A. J. & Jahraus,.....	12			B. Weaver,.....	20	
	J. Woelpper,.....	30			J. Edwards,.....	20	
	C. Harper,.....	20		26.	P. Sheaff,.....	20	
	A. R. Paul,.....	40			J. Rhoades,.....	20	
	J. Greer,.....	25			G. Powell,.....	20	
	C. Wilkins,.....	24			R. Davis,.....	20	
	R. Busby & Co.,.....	20			J. Hibbard,.....	20	
	J. Volmer,.....	20			J. M'Gonagle,.....	25	
	M. Cameron,.....	10			A. Brinton,.....	20	
	W. Rice,.....	12			R. Strobe,.....	20	
	E. Gibson,.....	10			M. & Shocker,.....	45	
	P. Young,.....	12			A. Clark,.....	20	
25.	J. M. Hunter,.....	20			J. Gaubert,.....	20	
	E. Smith,.....	10			H. Lake,.....	20	
	Carried forward,	7605	50		Carried forward	8893	00

		<i>Do</i> <i>lls.</i>	<i>C.</i>			<i>Do</i> <i>lls.</i>	<i>C.</i>
1848.	Brought forward,	8893	00	1848.	Brought forward,	9958	00
Jan. 26,	M. Roth,	110		Jan. 27,	Atherly & Co., fish		
	J. J. Hoops,	20			wagons,	240	
	C. G. Palmer,	15			N. Rummel,	10	
	E. D. Pierce,	20			W. Johnson,	20	
	M. Nealey,	6			J. S. Hurley,	20	
	C. Downing,	10			T. Bushlag,	20	
	M. Plunket,	10			A. Hinkle Jr.,	60	
	M. Brown,	38			J. Crisman,	20	
	L. Williamson,	10			S. Williams,	20	
	D. Hoffman,	16			M. Sharpless,	20	
	N. Larkin,	20			S. Mingle,	45	
	R. Playford,	20			E. Wilson,	10	
	P. W. Matson,	20			M. Oliphant,	35	
	J. P. Serrill,	20			H. Rementer,	12	
	H. & Merkle,	25			G. Fow,	60	
	J. Brown,	20			J. Fow,	35	
	J. D. Kelly,	20			J. Esra,	20	
	L. Shallcross,	20			C. Hall,	45	
	J. Gyger,	20			S. Thompson,	45	
	T. S. Fraley,	20			F. Osterholdt,	35	
	T. P. Clement,	45			J. & Kay,	25	
	A. Johnson,	20			T. Marshall,	35	
	J. Sill,	20			J. Leeds,	40	
	J. Lyons,	20			J. Nagg,	20	
	M. Pote,	34			A. Rice,	2	
	M. Gawn,	4			E. Peck,	8	
	J. Trites,	20			J. Hill,	20	
	J. M. Lodge,	20			G. Haurey,	30	
	J. Farrell,	12			C. Houser,	50	
	M. Lentz,	20			A. Waterman,	20	
	P. Buchannon,	16			W. Wartman,	20	
	J. L. Paste,	20			G. Schneck,	20	
	J. Craig,	6			M. Noland,	17	50
	M. M'Kenny,	3			T. Ballentine,	35	
	R. Mellon,	3			M. Wood,	10	
	S. Painter,	45			M. Tage,	10	
	M. Sheppard,	28			J. Simon,	12	
	C. Deckason,	10			A. Wartman,	12	
27,	E. Tuston,	20		28,	J. P. Lutz,	35	
	S. Aulfort,	8			P. Lowry Jr.,	35	
	J. Wagner,	12			A. Logan,	15	
	J. E. Levis,	20			H. Hatch & Co.,	45	
	C. Shisler,	12			C. Cramp,	38	
	A. Alberger,	30			J. B. Adams,	20	
	J. Vandergrift,	20			J. & W. B. Roberts,	20	
	J. Hiesler,	45			D. Adams,	20	
	C. Field,	20			A. H. Gross,	65	
	A. Young,	12			H. Osterholdt,	35	
	M. E. Boyd,	20			E. Traynor,	20	
	M. Sunlighter,	40			E. Jacobs,	20	
Carried forward,		9958	00	Carried forward,		11484	50

		Dolls. C.			Dolls. C.
1848.	Brought forward.	11484 50	1848.	Brought forward.	12803 00
Jan. 28,	E. Drum,	30	Jan. 28,	J. Erskine,	20
	L. Lex,	20		M. Fleming,	29
	W. Myers,	12		J. Hutchinson,	20
	J. Strock,	15	29,	L. Barr,	20
	J. Jones,	20		E. Evaul & Co., ..	45
	H. Goff Jr.,	20		J. Myers,	20
	H. Goff Sr.,	12		J. Cooper,	25
	M. Vandegrift,	8		A. Filton,	20
	B. Yeager,	20		J. G. H. Rhoades, ..	20
	S. Blealer,	6		O. & Hibbard,	20
	D. Paul,	185		M. Krider,	20
	C. Hall,	25		J. Myers,	40
	A. Clothier,	39		M. Jenkins,	40
	C. Sturges,	20		J. P. Rice,	32
	G. Purdy,	20		E. Swaine,	40
	M. Henry,	45		D. Gouldsey,	12
	M. Ryle,	18		J. Evans,	20
	T. Evans & Co., ..	45		Joseph Evans,	20
	H. J. Brook,	20		J. Roberts,	20
	O. Rhoades Jr., ...	20		M. Garing,	8
	J. Steer,	20		G. Young,	20
	A. L. Felton,	40		J. W. Lawrence, ..	20
	F. Donnelly,	45		A. Howell,	35
	A. Prince,	20		S. Unrie,	20
	G. Phillips,	20		S. Pancoast,	20
	W. Esher,	20		M. Simon,	20
	M. Myers,	20		J. Simon,	20
	H. Simon,	20		W. W. Clement, ..	20
	L. Bennett,	20		H. & Cox,	20
	J. Horton,	20		B. & Pratt,	20
	C. Sloan,	20		J. Lobb,	20
	D. Ditt,	17		R. Sabine,	2
	J. Hotfler,	12		T. Viguers,	35
	M. Cromley,	12		A. Shute,	35
	S. Stackhouse,	45		C. Simon,	20
	S. Turner,	30		C. Bonsall,	20
	J. Hollinshead, ...	25		S. Vautier,	24
	J. Elkins,	20		M. Gaulbert,	20
	L. Myers,	20		J. Smedley,	20
	J. Erskine,	20		A. Wilmerton,	20
	J. Hickman,	20		M. Shively,	17 50
	J. Bartholomew, ..	20		W. M. Hope,	25
	M. Gideon,	35		H. Barry,	12
	A. Gideon,	17 50		J. Knox,	20
	J. Palmer,	23		C. Root,	40
	P. Heyseleman, ...	20		G. Moore,	20
	G. M. Hunter, ...	20		C. Heishler,	20
	S. Lewis,	20		J. Paunce,	28
	A. Wright,	45		N. & Gibbs,	35
	D. Wills,	35		P. B. Hughes,	20
Carried forward.		12803 00	Carried forward,		13962 50

		Dolls. C.			Dolls. C.
1818.	Brought forward,	13962 50	1848.	Brought forward,	14221 50
Jan. 29,	W. Reed,	40	Jan. 29,	J. K. Gethen,	35
	J. W. Williams, ..	20		S. Baker,	20
	J. Heston,	20		A. Lewis,	20
	J. Stark,	15		S. Maupay,	60
	E. Shriner,	4		W. Henry,	20
	E. Serrick,	2		T. Bealer & Co., .	20
	T. Steele,	20		J. G. Knowles, ...	20
	A. Brooke,	20		J. Clement,	45
	S. Jones,	20		M. Clifford,	15
	J. N. Trimble, ...	20		B. B. Jones,	20
	J. Leary,	20		E. Morris,	12
	G. Cattell,	30		J. Hays Sr.,	20
	W. Morgan,	20		S. Engle,	20
	D. Sill,	20		J. B. Tatem,	35
	C. Brick,	35		J. Bunting,	20
	R. Brick,	35		A. Moore,	45
	J. Vautier,	12		S. Grear,	60
	G. W. Isenmyer, ..	20		P. & L. Shuster, ..	60
	J. Young,	40		J. H. Lippincott &	
	G. Anderson,	20		Co.,	20
	S. Bishop,	20		N. & Gilmore, ...	25
	C. Lafferty,	10		G. & Sampson, ...	20
	R. Holmes,	20		J. Peterson,	30
	C. Pifer,	20		M. Goodwin,	15
	P. N. Gamble,	20		W. Warner, Jr., ..	110
	J. Miller,	20		W. Shubert,	20
	J. Adams,	25		G. Bushlag,	25
	S. Roberts & Co., .	45		S. Lytle,	15
	J. E. Troth & Co.,	45		P. Jacobs,	20
	D. Evans & Co., ..	45		C. P. Bowers,	40
	J. Woerts,	65		J. Minifield,	6
	J. Woerts Jr.,	45		T. M. Smith,	20
	C. Cornwall,	2	31,	E. McCaffrey,	20
	J. Carr,	6		C. Rose,	10
	P. S. Rittenhouse, .	20		M. Nightlinger, ...	20
	E. Shober,	15		W. Gregory,	45
	D. Sheetsline,	8		J. Peplow,	35
	M. A. Baker,	25		M. Bowier,	12
	E. Horne,	20		J. Sknecht,	42 50
	T. Horne,	20		J. Fisher,	6
	H. Leese,	60		A. K. Paul,	20
	J. Hewson,	20		D. B. Paul,	10
	M. Beard,	35		A. Rennard,	20
	G. Miller,	45		J. Pennell,	20
	E. Taylor,	20		M. Trimble,	20
	J. S. Wallace &			M. Pealing,	16
	Co.,	45		M. Kesler,	12
	J. Hoffman,	20		C. Gebhardt,	6
	A. Curtis & Co., ..	45		J. Forepaugh,	35
	J. Thomas,	20		J. Robeson & Co., .	25
	W. Thomas,	20		E. F. Adams,	30
Carried forward,		14221 50	Carried forward,		15539 00

		Dolls. C.			Dolls. C.
1848.	Brought forward,	15539 00	1848	Brought forward,	17091 50
Jan. 31,	J. S. Browning,...	35	Jan. 31,	G. Maris,	20
	J. W. Cooper & Co.,	45		R. Haines & Co., .	45
	F. Feichner,	90		R. Turner,	22 50
	E. Paynter,	8		J. Jeffries,	35
	J. Cooley & Co.,...	45		R. Feters,	20
	C. Rummell,	30		B. & Walters,	32 50
	J. Jones,	10		T. Schneek,	35
	J. B. Smith,	20		J. Corney,	35
	C. Wiley,	10		H. Ayckroyd,	75
	J. Lowdenslager, ..	25		W. Lippincott,	35
	W. L. Hahn,	20		J. Reed,	45
	J. Lowry,	15		E. Flake,	16
	J. Earle,	25		A. Schiveley,	25
	B. & Sims,	45		T. Jarman,	20
	J. Lake,	30		A. Hight,	60
	J. Graham,	10		G. Miller,	35
	J. Fordham,	18		S. & Browning, ...	25
	C. Higbee,	45		H. & Hoy,	25
	E. Rusk,	8		S. King,	25
	C. Conner,	23		G. Bender,	20
	C. Thackara,	36		J. Stone,	45
	S. Creel,	32		J. H. Lord,	45
	M. Lurrough & Co.,	20		P. Lowry,	25
	B. Robinson,	12		P. H. Yarnall,	20
	P. J. Holstein,	20		J. T. Hatch & Co.,	45
	W. Hunter,	20		J. T. Hatch & Co.,	25
	S. McKeever,	20		G. W. Myers,	20
	C. Baker,	40		E. Elliot,	35
	H. Myers,	20		M. Carnes,	20
	H. Myers,	20		J. Abbott,	15
	S. Swope,	20		W. T. Guye,	35
	C. Anderson,	20		A. Sheetzline,	20
	C. Trout,	20		J. Drum,	60
	G. Woelpper,	170		G. Raymond,	20
	S. Grace,	20		M. Stoy,	14
	P. S. Young,	20		A. Pennoek,	25
	J. Kaign,	35		P. Simon,	20
	J. Wiltbank,	45		M. Rock,	15
	W. Field,	20		G. Simon,	20
	P. Jones,	20		W. Hurtz,	17 50
	J. Fow,	25		E. Wartman,	90
	P. Rice,	38		J. Wackerly,	105
	W. Cline,	20		M. Diamond,	12
	E. Lowderback, ...	17 50		J. Grace,	85
	M. Simon,	20		T. Middleton,	45
	H. & Porter,	20		T. C. Newell,	25
	J. Lippincott,	45		V. Boraelf,	75
	P. Johnson,	40		D. Suter,	20
	D. Woelpper,	60		J. M. Gaul,	20
	D. Ham,	60		E. J. Henderson, ..	8
	J. Powell,	20		W. Tegar,	0
	Carried forward,	17091 50		Carried forward,	18789 00

		Dolls.	C.			Dolls.	C.
1848.	Brought forward,	18789	00	1848.	Brought forward,	20408	00
Jan. 31,	A. Waters,	10		Feb. 1,	E. Wheelhouse,...	15	
Feb. 1,	R. Ruffin,	16			L. Gross,	82	50
	T. Gethen,	35			R. Dunk,	20	
	P. Fraley,	20			M. Barnett, ...	10	
	N. Davis & Co., ..	45			J. Z. Collins,	35	
	W. Dehaven,	40		3,	J. Shuman,	52	50
	J. Warner,	90			W. Jacobs,	35	
	J. Stevenson,	45			H. Durnell,	15	
	L. Fow,	17	50		J. Knorr,	45	
	W. Bywater,	15			G. Horne,	20	
	G. Tripner,	100			A. Hays, Jr.,	17	50
	J. L. Bradley,	20			J. Hains,	35	
	A. Uber,	20			W. J. Shriver,	17	50
	G. H. Simon,	40			A. Young,	17	50
	P. Silbert,	60			W. Mervine,	17	50
	J. Larkin,	20			H. Fite,	35	
	J. Deckert,	25			J. Myers,	17	50
	A. W. & Ridge, ..	30			E. Francis,	3	
	J. Hinkle,	52	50		T. Bender,	35	
	T. Paul,	35			R. M. Frazier,	15	
	R. J. Whartenby, ..	20			M. Brown,	15	
	H. Simon,	20			J. Collier,	20	
	A. Karker,	35			J. Shover,	17	50
	J. Karker,	75			C. Goodwin,	15	
	J. Shaw,	20			W. Lewis,	20	
	G. Lechler,	17	50		C. Whitley,	45	
	N. Fulmer,	15			J. F. Warner,	25	
	J. Wackerly,	42	50	4,	M. Akin,	10	
	C. Garrett,	20			T. Reed,	20	
	C. McCloskey,	17	50		A. Nice,	20	
	E. Amos,	15			C. P. Bittle,	20	
	W. Hoffman,	40			E. Morton,	20	
	H. L. Warner,	15			J. Bancroft,	47	50
	J. Rhoades,	20			A. Dickensheet, ...	8	
	E. Elliott,	52	50		M. Simon,	20	
	E. & Barnes,	20			W. Trout,	17	50
	H. James,	20			L. Parker,	15	
	D. & Huston,	20			D. Bradley,	17	50
	J. Stock,	15			H. Darhee,	20	
	S. Dempsey,	35			S. Mink,	10	
	S. Dingas,	15			C. Conrad,	20	
	A. Longerbartle, ..	15			J. D. Seckle,	15	
	B. Stillwell,	20			F. Foley,	25	
	G. Williams,	90			P. Buffington,	20	
	J. Note,	15			E. Francis,	15	
	T. Humphries,	20			M. Keyser,	15	
	G. W. Wonder, ...	60			J. Thompson,	5	
	M. Boraceff,	80			F. King,	17	50
	R. Bishop,	20			B. D. Garrigues, ..	20	
	C. Cochensperger, ..	8		5,	G. Gauss,	20	
	L. Parker,	15			J. S. Stinger,	8	
Carried forward,		20108	00	Carried forward,		21532	00

		Dolls. C.			Dolls. C.
1848.	Brought forward,	21532 00	1848.	Brought forward,	22872 50
Feb. 5,	J. F. Hill,	20	Feb. 1,	P. Bender,	45
	M. Snyder,	12		C. T. Hauman, ..	35
7,	R. Rutter,	17 50		E. Partridge,	80
	F. Fleury,	17 50		D. Dewees,	20
	W. Minus,	17 50		J. Wise,	20
	J. Lowry,	10		R. T. Abbott,	15
	A. Powell,	35		J. Bornman,	60
	D. W. Nell,	15		S. Kelly,	37 50
	C. Norris,	10		D. Lafferty,	12
	H. Yeager,	20		M. Miller,	12
	G. Wackerly,	47 50		G. Shear,	24
8,	M. Sausman,	17 50		E. Revell,	12
	F. Fleury,	35		J. Owens,	12
	J. M'Dowell,	20		R. Tarrant,	12
	E. Rocksbury,	45		S. Shear,	12
	S. Robeson,	45		G. Hoffman,	6
9,	F. W. Rush,	20		J. Lafferty,	12
	D. Calloun,	17 50		J. Valentine,	20
	C. Thompson,	10		R. Moore,	20
	H. Hoe,	5		R. Hess,	19
11,	S. Fort,	6		S. Page,	10
12,	L. Curtz,	35		C. Hunt,	10
	C. Belger,	20		M. Hanson,	10
	M. Sheppard,	12		L. Lewis,	10
	J. R. Leonard,	8		L. Simpson,	10
14,	J. Osterholdt,	17 50		E. Carey,	10
	H. Rutter,	17 50		S. Corryell,	10
	W. B. Morrill,	15		A. Harborn,	10
16,	W. Trainor,	20		G. & Gale,	10
	A. Darras,	15		S. Durell,	35
	J. Gosner,	20		W. Nash,	35
17,	C. Lees,	45		S. Estlack,	35
18,	S. Kunkle,	17 50		J. James,	30
	J. Kunkle,	17 50		J. Eldridge,	30
22,	W. Thornley,	40		H. Morgan,	35
28,	H. Fite,	17 50		M. Lafferty,	20
1,	C. Piper,	15		W. Shriver,	40
	C. Cody,	20		J. Sheppard,	20
	H. Borac,	115		H. Hays,	20
	B. Carr,	20		G. A. Lowdensla-	
	H. & Sloan,	20		ger,	20
	B. A. Hamell,	25		T. Higgins,	20
	S. Doughton,	20		C. Schneck,	20
	D. Doughton,	25		C. Wartman,	25
	S. Robeson,	50		J. Fiddler,	25
	J. Kane,	65		G. Lechler,	17 50
	J. Crow,	65		A. Nightlinger, ..	17 50
	D. Woelpper,	30		W. Goff,	17 50
	S. Runner,	35		J. Nonemaker, ..	17 50
	J. Newton,	20		W. Keichline,	25
	T. M'Dowell,	45		C. Stark,	20
	Carried forward,	22872 50		Carried forward,	23974 00

		Dolls. C.			Dolls. C.
1848.	Brought forward,	23974 00	1848.	Brought forward,	25732 67
Feb. 1,	G. A. Boyer,	17 50	June 23,	J. M'Manamy,	6 1
	R. Mervine,	10	28,	J. Andrews,	5 91
	T. A. Sybert,	17 50	July 3,	J. Thompson,	3
	J. A. Houseman, . .	25		J. Lindsay,	3
	F. Fricker,	25	8,	J. Forepaugh,	1
	H. Cope,	17 50	12,	D. Jordan,	75
	W. M. Cully,	20			
	M. Goff,	17 50			25752 33
	J. Dupper,	17 50		Less returned J. An-	
	M. Deckert,	35		derson,	5 91
	D. Houseman,	17 50			
	J. Redfield,	35			25746 42
	J. Warner,	25	15,	G. Baker,	20
Mar. 1,	J. G. Keyser,	52 50		C. Meredith,	35
2,	E. Dunfee,	8	17,	J. Haines,	17 50
3,	M. Moore,	6		L. Reed,	12
9,	H. Dougherty,	15		C. Yeager,	4
10,	F. King,	25		J. Rivel,	5
14,	P. Rudolph,	10		H. Osterholdt,	35
27,	Samuel Ball,	30		O. Wheelock,	146
	J. E. Price,	3		W. Balser,	25
29,	J. Lemutre,	20		H. Goff, Jr.,	20
31,	C. Ambruster,	3	18,	S. Mink,	35
April 8,	J. Goff,	17 50		M. Stanford,	15
	E. Wenshell,	5		W. B. Trout,	20
13,	S. Thomas,	4		L. Myers,	20
22,	Thomas Riley,	20	19,	J. M. Fullen,	25
25,	George Severn,	5		W. Lechler,	17 50
	R. Frasier,	5	20,	M. Watson,	10
26,	D. Taylor,	7 50		J. Wortz,	65
May 1,	M. Williamson,	2 50		J. Wortz, Jr.,	45
	M. Derr,	10		M. Goodwin,	20
	R. Saunders,	3 75		E. Drum,	30
2,	S. Cody,	22 50		C. Harper,	20
3,	M. Huston,	20		S. Robison,	50
4,	A. Weimer,	3 75		C. Tripner,	65
	J. Catline,	3 75	21,	L. Gross,	100
9,	E. Eldridge,	15		G. Boyer,	25
	C. Gross,	1 37		Do.,	17 50
11,	E. Smith,	3	22,	M. Carnes,	20
	J. Eagan,	7 50		B. & Kay,	20
16,	E. M'Gonagle,	10		J. H. Lippincott &	
20,	E. Fitzpatrick,	3 75		Co.,	20
	S. Vincent,	2		B. M'Gowan,	15
June 2,	D. F. Williams,	2 50	24,	E. Wallace,	15
5,	W. W. Call,	13 30	25,	A. Wartman, J., . . .	20
7,	W. B. Morrell,	2 50		G. Schnek,	20
15,	J. Veasey,	4		W. Wartman,	20
17,	B. Toulan,	7 50		J. Spencer,	60
19,	J. Mountain,	6		H. Hay,	20
20,	Atherly & Co.,	7 50		J. Myers,	17 50
	Carried forward,	25732 67		Carried forward,	26893 42

		Dolls.	C.			Dolls.	C.
1848.	Brought forward,	26893	42	1848.	Brought forward,	28935	92
July 25,	A. H. Gross,	65		July 29,	W. M. Hope,	25	
	E. M'Gonagle,	20			E. Brown,	15	
	J. G. Knecht,	42	50		J. Kain,	65	
	W. J. & H. H. Bate,	25			S. Engle,	20	
	G. Woelpper,	30			B. Toulon,	30	
	S. Little,	15			J. H. Hains,	20	
26,	S. Bates,	35			F. Osterholdt,	35	
	Atherly & Co.,	270			J. P. Lutz,	35	
	D. Doughton & Co.,	25			J. Hany,	30	
	J. Trout,	65			R. C. Turner,	22	50
	C. Wilkins,	35			J. Reese,	20	
	A. Hinkle,	60			W. Reese,	10	
27,	J. Jeffries,	35			J. Hutchinson,	20	
	G. Purdy,	20			Joseph Hutchinson,	20	
	B. & Walters,	35			E. Partridge,	80	
	J. F. Warner,	42	50	31,	A. Nice,	15	
	N. Beard,	42	50		M. Smith,	45	
	H. & Roseman,	20			J. Robeson & Co.,	25	
28,	C. Wagner,	15			C. Sloan,	20	
	M. Benner,	20			J. Hollinshead,	25	
	M. Rock,	15			J. Cooper,	25	
	A. Pool,	20			W. Shriver,	40	
	A. Alberger,	30			J. Sheppard,	20	
	S. Bradford,	35			G. A. Lowdenslager,	20	
	C. Wilkins,	25			C. Schnek,	20	
	G. Fow,	60			G. Snyder,	20	
	J. Fow,	35			W. McCully,	20	
	G. Williams,	90			G. Severn,	25	
29,	J. Adams,	25			G. Reese,	17	50
	J. Kay,	25			M. Goff,	17	50
	E. T. Amos,	47	50		W. Keichline,	35	
	N. Rummell,	10			A. Young,	17	50
	J. & Kay,	25			R. Mervine,	10	
	M. Shively,	17	50		A. L. Sybert,	17	50
	L. Lex,	20			J. A. Houseman,	25	
	P. Jones,	20			F. Feichner,	25	
	G. Tripner,	100			S. Kelly,	30	
	H. Leese,	60			E. Cornman,	7	50
	E. Jacobs,	20			F. Feichner,	90	
	R. Bushy & Co.,	20			G. Miller,	45	
	P. S. Rittenhouse,	20			M. Clifford,	15	
	A. Witmerton,	20			D. Paul,	185	
	M. Deats,	20			H. & Merkle,	25	
	F. Donnelly,	45			H. & Hoy,	25	
	W. Richmond,	25			P. Lowry,	20	
	T. Bushlag,	20			Do.	15	
	P. & L. Shuster,	60			J. Fow,	25	
	S. Greer,	60			H. Darnell,	15	
	L. Parker,	30			J. Peterson,	30	
	M. E. Boyd,	20			J. Reese,	15	
	A. Hight,	105			G. Wallace,	20	
	Carried forward,	28935	92		Carried forward,	36430	92

		Dolls.	C.	1848.			Dolls.	C.
1848.	Brought forward,	30430	92	July 31,	Brought forward,	32528	42	
July 31,	J. Wallace,	50			C. Heisler,	20		
	G. Wallace,	10		Aug. 1,	C. Rasp,	10		
	J. Bornman,	60			J. Smith,	20		
	J. Wackerly,	105			J. Earle,	25		
	J. Warner,	90			C. Rummell,	30		
	T. C. Newell,	25			W. L. Hahn,	20		
	J. Jones,	10			J. Wellbank,	45		
	A. B. Paul,	10			D. Taylor,	15		
	D. H. Paul,	20			S. Grace,	20		
	P. Jacobs,	20			B. A. Hamell,	45		
	C. Peifer,	20			A. Forepaugh,	17	50	
	G. Bushlag,	25			J. M'Gonagle,	25		
	E. Wartman,	90			G. Leshner,	17	50	
	B. Yeager,	20			J. Swope,	20		
	G. Woelpper,	170			E. Amos,	15		
	J. Trout,	45			B. Yeager,	35		
	E. McCaffrey,	20			J. O. Glover,	25		
	P. Lowry, 3d,	40			G. Gross,	20		
	J. Bosler, Sr.,	77	50		H. Boraef Jr.,	115		
	F. W. Rush,	20			J. Gilmore,	25		
	V. Boraef,	75			W. Dehaven,	40		
	C. Anderson,	20			J. Wackerly,	42	50	
	J. Lake,	30			C. Piper,	15		
	J. S. Hurley,	20			C. Sheppard,	20		
	S. Doughton,	20			E. Frances,	15		
	J. Fletcher,	10			J. Knorr,	20		
	C. Peifer,	10			N. B. Jones,	20		
	M. Nightlinger, ...	20			G. & Jones,	20		
	T. Schneek,	35			L. Fow,	17	50	
	C. Gross,	42	50		G. W. Isenmyer, ..	20		
	D. W. Neff,	15			G. Miller,	35		
	D. Woelpper,	90			A. Hight,	60		
	D. Hamm,	60			A. C. Garvin,	15		
	M. Roth,	110			M. Rose,	10		
	J. Barnstat,	45			A. Shively,	25		
	M. Sowers,	20		2,	M. Lafferty,	20		
	F. King,	42	50		J. Hays Sr.,	20		
	C. Trout,	20			C. Wartman,	25		
	M. Baird,	35			G. Leshner,	17	50	
	G. Bender,	20			W. Goff,	17	50	
	S. King,	25			J. Dupper,	17	50	
	C. Stark,	20			J. Nonemaker,	17	50	
	J. Grear,	25			J. Deckhart,	17	50	
	J. Stear,	20			R. Rutter,	17	50	
	C. Houser,	50			M. Deckhart,	35		
	W. Tippenhour, ..	35			L. Ryer,	17	50	
	H. Akroyd,	75			F. Fleury,	17	50	
	J. Grace,	85			D. Houseman,	17	50	
	G. Dehavan,	35			M. Nolens,	17	50	
	A. R. Paul,	40			A. Hays,	17	50	
	M. Burrough & Co.	20			H. L. Warner, ...	15		
	Carried forward,	32528	42		Carried forward,	33775	92	

		Dolls.	C.			Dolls.	C.
1848.	Brought forward,	33775	92	1848.	Brought forward,	35153	42
Aug. 2,	M. Gideon,	35		Aug. 8,	A. Fleury,	35	
	T. Higgins,	20		11,	W. J. Shriver,	17 50	
	A. Langerbartle, ..	15			J. Haines,	35	
	W. Warner,	110			W. Hays,	17 50	
	E. Elliot,	35			G. Severn,	7 50	
	J. Dempsey,	52	50	14,	M. Gideon,	17 50	
	W. Bywater,	15			H. Munhollan,	35	
	J. Crow,	65			H. Fite,	35	
	M. Boraef,	80			D. Bradley,	17 50	
	T. Paul,	35			W. Goddow,	20	
	W. Feagan,	20			J. Corney,	35	
	J. Stork,	15		16,	A. Nightlinger, ...	17 50	
	J. Lowdenslager, ..	25			C. M'Closkey,	17 50	
	J. Lowry,	25			S. Kunkle,	17 50	
3,	W. Jacobs,	35			J. Abbott,	15	
	E. Cody,	20		21,	J. Peplow,	35	
	J. J. Hatch,	25			R. Abbott,	7 50	
	S. & Browning, ...	25			W. B. Morrell, ...	22 50	
	J. Strook,	30			E. Fitzpatrick,	7 50	
	E. Lowderback, ...	17	50		A. Hays,	17 50	
	C. Wiley,	10		24,	D. Calhoun,	17 50	
	E. Wheelhouse, ..	15			J. Kunkle,	17 50	
	M. Keyser,	20			D. Casey,	35	
	J. Shober,	17	50	29,	J. Lawrence,	15	
	J. Logan,	15			J. Haines,	17 50	
4,	W. Marvine,	17	50	Sep. 4,	E. Simpson,	7 50	
	J. Goff,	17	50		J. Atkins,	12 50	
	H. Rutter,	17	50		S. Faunce,	3 32	
	J. Myers,	17	50	5,	M. Huston,	15	
	M. Frazer,	15			J. G. Keyser,	52 50	
	M. Huston,	20			G. Wackerly,	47 50	
	W. Robeson,	35		7,	A. M'Cormack, ...	8 25	
	A. Karker,	35		8,	Wm. Hurst,	17 50	
5,	C. Conrad,	15		11,	E. Summers,	14	
	J. Shuman,	52	50	13,	R. K. Culp,	13 50	
	C. T. Harman, ...	35		20,	G. Gleet,	13	
	S. Runner,	35		25,	J. Cubbage,	1 33	
	R. T. Abbott,	7	50	27,	J. Dawson,	10	
7,	J. Karker,	75		Oct. 12,	John Bechtold, ...	11 50	
	P. Miller,	30		13,	S. Weetzell,	8 75	
	J. Lake,	17	50	17,	William Menns, ..	17 50	
	J. Gosner,	7	50		J. Allkin,	5	
	J. Mooney,	10		21,	William Hess,	2 75	
	G. W. Wonder, ...	60		Nov. 21,	E. Lowderback, ...	20	
	J. Matson,	20		Dec. 19,	G. Grubb,	5	
8,	J. Drum,	60					
	Carried forward,	35153	42		Less for bad money,		
						35972	32
							1 25
						35971	07

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Philadelphia, December 31, 1848.

JOHN DIEHL, *Commissioner of City Property.*

*Receipts by the City Clerk for Permits for placing Building Materials,
from January 1st, 1848, to December 31st, 1848.*

1848.		Dolls. C.	1848.		Dolls. C.
Feb. 21,	Lippincott &		Feb. 29,	Brought forward,	9 75
	Haines,	25		M. Henszey,	25
	T. B. Patterson, ..	25		Nell & Richardson,	25
	Do.	25		Do.	25
	A. M. Quain,	25		M. R. Levering,...	25
	J. Gilbert Jr.,.....	25	Mar. 1,	W. H. Fulton,.....	25
	G. Chandler,	25		G. J. Souder,.....	25
	Do.	25	2,	J. F. Willets,.....	25
	H. R. Norman, ...	25		S. Simons,	25
	J. M'Clure,	25		J. S. Connelly, ...	25
	Do.	25		J. Godley,	25
	E. Kelly,	25		Do.	25
	G. Williams,	25	3,	Wright & Hunter, ..	25
	Do.	25		B. Wiley,	25
	J. W. Colladay,...	25	4,	Kilgore & Hudders,	25
	P. P. Ridgway, ...	25		D. Baily,	25
	D. H. Flickwir, ...	25		J. Bryden,	25
22,	F. M'Ilvaine,	25	6,	C. A. Rubicam, ...	25
	J. L. Dutton,	25	7,	J. Rice,	25
	M. Erickson,	25		J. Fair,	25
23,	D. B. Kelly,	25		W. K. Austin,....	25
	R. Buck,	25	10,	E. Ward,	25
	P. Chapman,	25		J. M'Crea,	25
	G. S. Lang,	25		S. Jones,	25
24,	J. T. Allen,	25		J. O'Harra,	25
	S. Waters,	25		J. Notman,	25
	H. Gravel & Son, ..	25		J. Bateson,	25
	Z. C. Howell,	25	13,	H. L. Spangler, ...	25
	J. Tustin,	25		G. R. Creely,	25
	A. Pancoast,	25		R. F. Darragh, ...	25
25,	J. Allen,	25		J. M'Cowen,	25
	Do.	25		G. Williams,	25
	M. B. Dyott &			W. Johns,	25
	Kent,	25		B. W. Knight,....	25
	C. Stevenson,	25	14,	G. R. Kressler, ...	25
26,	J. Tiel,	25		M. Bouvier,	25
	C. Smith,	25		P. Glasgow,	25
	Williamson &			J. M. Hancock, ...	25
	Davis,	25		J. M'Carthy,	25
28,	Gates & Baird, ...	25		H. Fettinger,	25
	J. Martin,	25		Archer & Warner,	25
29,	J. Wurner,	25	15,	T. Duncan,	25
				J. Willets,	25
	Carried forward,	9 75		Carried forward,	20 25

		Dolls.	C.			Dolls.	C.
1848.	Brought forward,	20	25	1848.	Brought forward,	32	75
Mar. 15,	I. Reed & Son, ...		25	April 1,	J. M'Arthur,		25
16,	M. L. Beall,		25		C. S. Longstreth,...		25
	W. Brown,		25		E. R. Elliott,		25
18,	M. Leeds,		25	3,	Do.		25
	J. P. & W. Wetherill,		25		J. Johnson,		25
	J. D. Jones,		25		H. G. Jones,		25
20,	I. H. Conrad,		25		J. Morrow,		25
	J. K. Jester,		25		D. H. Flickwir, ...		25
	Moore & Webster,		25	4,	J. S. Walter,		25
	J. Zepp,		25		J. T. Biles,		25
21,	J. A. Edenborn, ...		25		J. M'Clure,		25
	A. M'Coy,		25		Do.		25
	T. A. Barlow,		25	5,	J. Denagre,		25
	J. Brady,		25		S. Naylor,		25
22,	J. A. Gendell,		25		S. Rain,		25
	Do.		25		Williamson &		
	Moore & Webster,		25		Davis,		25
	J. D. Jones,		25		J. Krider,		25
	Do.		25		D. Smith,		25
23	G. W. Doane,		25	6,	F. J. Dreer,		25
	J. Lloyd,		25		Jones & Allen, ...		25
	J. Bowman,		25		J. Lindsay,		25
24,	H. Smith,		25		J. M. Hancock, ...		25
	J. M'Nabb,		25		W. Ettenger,		25
25,	J. M'Carthy,		25		H. Gravel & Son, .		25
	Leeds & Newkirk,		25		W. Coburn,		25
	F. A. Duterte,		25		J. Allen & Son, ...		25
27,	Perrine & Co., ...		25		W. S. Andrews, ..		25
	Brown & Allison, .		25	7,	Padmore & Vollum		25
	Do.		25		Moore & Webster,		25
	P. Mulgrew,		25		A. Hill,		25
	J. Z. Broom,		25		T. M. Richards, ...		25
28,	H. De Haven,		25		C. J. Smith,		25
	T. P. Ridgway, ...		25		G. W. Wharton, ..		25
	Do.		25	8,	J. D. Jones,		25
	H. Bickley,		25		W. S. Hunter,		25
	W. Russell,		25	11,	S. Williamson, ...		25
	A. Matzinger,		25		L. Lakey,		25
29,	S. F. Getz,		25		G. W. Colladay, ..		25
	Brown & Allison, .		25	12,	S. Yerger,		25
	T. Pratt,		25	13,	J. O'Rourke,		25
	D. Pierson,		25		R. Brown,		25
	W. H. Durhorow, .		25		H. De Haven,		25
30,	J. B. W. Hamilton,		25		P. Hinckle,		25
	Do.		25	14,	G. W. Wharton, ..		25
	R. Paul,		25		J. Gilbert,		25
	J. W. Wallace, ...		25	15,	J. Logan,		25
	P. Denckla,		25		J. Buist,		25
31,	H. Rodgers,		25		Do.		25
	J. N. Dixon,		25	17,	W. S. Williamson,		25
					Kilgore & Hudders,		25
	Carried forward,	32	75		Carried forward,	45	25

		Dolls. C.			Dolls. C.
1848.	Brought forward,	45 25	1848.	Brought forward,	57 00
April 18,	G. R. Stinger,	25	May 4,	D. Martin,	25
	P. Glasgow,	25		J. Peterson,	25
19,	J. Stewart,	25		J. Struthers & Son,	25
	J. Fergusen, Jr., ..	25		J. Amos,	25
20,	J. Buckius,	25	5,	J. Boyer,	25
	C. Bray,	25		W. Ballinger,	25
	I. Maples,	25		E. M. Hansell, ...	25
21,	S. K. Hoxsie,	25		S. K. Bye,	25
	T. Davis,	25	6,	J. M'Clure,	25
	J. J. Harris,	25		Do.	25
	J. Robinson,	25		Carson & Farson, .	25
	Nell & Richardson.	25	8,	A. Dimond,	25
22,	Lewis May Sr., ...	25		H. Huber Jr.,	25
	G. H. Napheys, ...	25		N. Le Brun,	25
	P. Glasgow,	25		J. Pierce,	25
	C. & J. W. Clo-		9,	Furness & Raf-	
	thier,	25		snyder,	25
25,	J. W. Ardis,	25		Jones & Allen, ...	25
	P. Cullin,	25		J. M'Sweggan, ...	25
	J. H. Miller,	25	10,	S. Waters,	25
26,	Horton & Dickin-			J. Williamson, ...	25
	son,	25		C. Winner,	25
	W. Smith,	25		C. Chandler,	25
	J. J. Shultz,	25		D. Barr,	25
27,	J. Sensitivefer, ...	25	12,	J. H. Wilson,	25
	J. C. Thomson, ...	25		J. & W. Hamilton,	25
	J. W. Fairlamb &			G. Wilson,	25
	Co.,	25	13,	J. Rice,	25
	A. Murphy,	25		D. Scott,	25
	R. B. Scott,	25		E. R. Elliott,	25
	Cooper & Miller, ..	25	15,	M. Balderston, ...	25
	H. L. Roberts & G.			A. Mason,	25
	Cuthbert,	25		G. Chandler,	25
	J. P. Wetherill, ...	25		C. A. Rubicam, ...	25
28,	C. & C. Shoemaker,	25		J. Moore,	25
	Do.	25		W. H. M'Namee, .	25
	J. S. Connelly, ...	25		B. W. Knight, ...	25
	M. Andress,	25		J. Bullock,	25
	R. W. Mingus, ...	25	17,	M. Morris,	25
29,	W. Smith,	25		J. Allen,	25
	Millman & Teany,	25	18,	J. Gibbons,	25
	J. R. Venning, ...	25		G. A. Whistler, ...	25
May 1,	J. H. Collins,	25		J. Park,	25
	J. Lindsay,	25	19,	J. R. Taylor,	25
	T. Lippincott,	25		P. Monaghan,	25
2,	T. B. Patterson, ..	25		D. Hood,	25
	J. & W. Gimado..	25	20,	J. H. Collins,	25
	R. Hays,	25		J. D. Reinboth, ...	25
	Kilgore & Hudders.	25		E. Ward,	25
3,	W. H. French, ...	25		W. Peterson,	25
	M. M'Janny,	25	22,	E. L. Davis,	25
	Carried forward,	57 00		Carried forward,	69 50

		<i>Deals</i>	<i>C.</i>			<i>Dolls.</i>	<i>C.</i>
1848.	Brought forward,	69	50	1848.	Brought forward,	81	00
May 22,	G. A. Whistler,...		25	June 13,	A. Perrin,		25
24,	Pearson & Roe,...		25		A. Woodbury,....		25
	L. H. Esler,.....		25		J. Fair,		25
25,	W. S. Sinkler,....		25	14,	L. B. Stokes,		25
	H. J. Helmbold,...		25		J. Boyer & P. Rose,		25
26,	Horton & Dickinson,		25	15,	R. Leonard,.....		25
	P. Fearon,.....		25		B. A. Moore,		25
	S. Copeland,		25	17,	W. & D. Burr, ...		25
	Nell & Richardson,		25		N. Smedley,		25
	Do.		25	19,	H. Bickley,		25
	Williamson &				Lippincott &		
	Davis,		25		Haines,		25
	Do.		25		T. Newkirk,		25
27,	J. S. Connelly, ...		25		L. H. Esler,.....		25
29,	C. N. Robbins, ...		25		T. Brooks,		25
	J. Allen & Son,...		25		J. Lindsay,		25
	M. Mayer,		25	20,	J. L. Paul,		25
	A. Forg,		25		J. Wallace,		25
30,	J. A. Burrows, ...		25		S. P. Morris,		25
	Horton & Dickinson,		25		S. Cook,		25
	R. Luther,		25		J. M'Faden,		25
June 1,	J. S. Connelly, ...		25		R. T. Knight,		25
	J. W. Colladay,...		25	21,	T. Graham,		25
	R. Leonard,		25		J. R. Bell,		25
3,	Thomas & Furman,		25	22,	J. Willets Jr., ...		25
	T. R. Ridgway, ...		25		B. A. Shoemaker, .		25
5,	J. F. Pleis,		25		Le Roy Cole,		25
	C. M'Knight,		25	23,	W. Smith,		25
6,	S. Root,		25	24,	T. M. Richards, ...		25
	M. Kitlinger,		25		W. Divine,		25
	A. Hoover,		25	26,	W. Barnes,		25
	E. Greble,		25		E. H. Faulkner,...		25
7,	Williamson &				Do.		25
	Davis,		25		Looney & Brown, .		25
	Wm. F. Springer, .		25		M. S. Wickersham,		25
	A. Tibbin,		25		F. Scatterbury, ...		25
8,	C. B. Cooper,		25	27,	R. Thorne,		25
	Morris, Tasker &				T. H. Forsyth,		25
	Morris,		25	28,	J. F. Randolph, ...		25
9,	J. Addis,		25	29,	J. Spenceley,		25
	J. Haner,		25		J. Kenton,		25
	S. Cook,		25		F. Brewster,		25
12,	J. B. Roberts,		25	30,	C. H. Jones,		25
	J. B. Hamilton, ...		25	July 1,	A. J. Brazier,		25
	H. Hinchman,		25		J. Park,		25
	Wm. Jackson,		25	3,	Lippincott &		
	Hough & Stewart, .		25		Haines,		25
	H. Kinley,		25		A. Shinn,		25
	D. C. Thorn,		25		W. Ballinger,		25
				5,	J. Smith,		25
					Biles & Tearsley, .		25
	Carried forward,		81 00		Carried forward,		93 25

		Dolls.	C.			Dolls.	C.
1848.	Brought forward,	93	25	1848.	Brought forward,	105	75
July 5,	B. Gallop,		25	July 26,	D. Thorn,		25
	J. D. Reinholt,		25	27,	E. Jones,		25
	B. A. Moore,		25		S. Root,		25
	T. Marsh,		25		R. Brown,		25
	T. Lloyd Jr.,		25		T. McCormick,		25
6,	J. Denagre,		25		C. Jordan,		25
	T. Lippincott,		25		A. Carey,		25
	J. Gilbert Jr.,		25	29,	B. A. Moore,		25
	H. Fettinger,		25		A. Duffly,		25
7,	J. Rice,		25	Aug. 1,	J. Dow,		25
	Nell & Richardson, ..		25		J. Vogel,		25
8,	S. Waters,		25		I. P. Morris,		25
	J. Kenton,		25		B. W. Knight,		25
	R. Leonard,		25	2,	Horton & Dickin-		25
	J. R. Taylor,		25		son,		25
	W. & D. Burr, ...		25		Brown & Allison, ..		25
	Do.		25		J. H. Collins,		25
10,	J. B. Roberts,		25		J. O'Rourke,		25
	J. Rice,		25		N. Smedley,		25
	Do.		25	3,	W. L. Duval,		25
	Do.		25		J. M'Clure,		25
11,	H. J. Bockius,		25	4,	J. M'Gonigle,		25
	D. H. Rockhill, ...		25		J. Lindsay,		25
12,	J. Chew,		25	5,	J. Buist,		25
	N. P. Sullivan, ...		25		H. DeHaven,		25
	J. H. Collins,		25	7,	J. Bullock,		25
	R. Brown,		25		B. W. Knight, ...		25
	Looney & Brown, ..		25	8,	A. Holahan,		25
	R. M'Cunney, agt., ..		25		J. M'Allister,		25
	J. Stroud,		25	10,	D. C. Thorn,		25
17,	A. Jones,		25		Williamson &		25
	C. A. Rubicam, ...		25		Davis,		25
18,	John W. Simes &		25		R. Leonard,		25
	Sons,		25	14,	M. Andress,		25
	S. Waters,		25	16,	P. Engart,		25
	M. Balderston,		25		M. Thomas,		25
	W. Boyd,		25	18,	W. Ballinger,		25
	T. P. Ridgway, ...		25	19,	Williamson &		25
	Do.		25		Davies,		25
	J. Vandyke,		25		S. Cooke,		25
	J. Seiser,		25	21,	J. B. Roberts,		25
19,	J. Wright,		25		T. Rings,		25
20,	J. Brook,		25		J. W. Middleton, ..		25
	B. B. Potts,		25	22,	Archer & Warner, ..		25
	A. Boyd,		25		C. W. Clement, ...		25
	S. Griffetts,		25	23,	J. Hays Jr.,		25
	G. Chandler,		25		J. M'Clure,		25
	T. D. Rea,		25		A. Hill,		25
22,	I. Bellangee,		25	24,	J. Godley,		25
25,	Z. C. Howell,		25	25,	J. Farrell,		25
	Do.		25	26,	C. Khail,		25
	Carried forward,	105	75		Carried forward,	117	75

		Dolls.	C.			Dolls.	C.
1848.	Brought forward,	117	75	1848.	Brought forward,	130	25
Aug. 26,	S. Price,	25		Sep. 20,	Stiles & Randolph,	25	
28,	L. B. Stokes,	25		22,	Thomas & Furman,	25	
	G. Daniels,	25			S. T. Roberts,	25	
	R. Mathews,	25			C. A. Rubicam, ...	25	
29,	J. Coleman,	25			G. W. Colladay, ..	25	
	C. S. Himmelwright	25			N. B. Leidy,	25	
30,	J. H. Cresson,	25		23,	G. Taylor,	25	
	W. Davison,	25			J. M'Cartley,	25	
	J. H. Bradford,	25			N. Smedley,	25	
31,	G. W. Ford,	25		25,	W. Perry,	25	
Sep. 1,	A. Benner,	25			S. Fogg,	25	
2,	E. Ward,	25			I. Ballancee,	25	
4,	A. Burr,	25		26,	C. A. Rubicam, ...	25	
	J. Zepp,	25			J. Quinlan,	25	
	Jones & Allen, ...	25		27,	E. Jones,	25	
	J. D. Jones,	25		28,	W. H. Allen,	25	
	P. Harmstad,	25		29,	M. Andress,	25	
	E. Weatherly,	25			W. H. Moore,	25	
	S. Simmons,	25		Oct. 4,	S. Reess,	25	
5,	G. L. Sharp,	25			R. T. Knight,	25	
	W. Kernan,	25			W. Graham & Co.,	25	
6,	Hendrickson &			5,	J. Galliard,	25	
	Ellis,	25			T. B. Patterson, ...	25	
	H. Barkley,	25			T. Miller,	25	
	R. H. Seneff,	25			J. H. Collins,	25	
	L. Baldwin,	25			H. Butler,	25	
	Cooper & Miller, ...	25		6,	M. Moore,	25	
	Padmore & Vollum,	25			J. Rice,	25	
7,	I. Ballancee,	25			J. Stewart,	25	
	Abbott & Reinderf,	25		7,	W. Brown,	25	
9,	D. Jones,	25			G. Chandler,	25	
	J. Dillin,	25			C. Shoemaker,	25	
	A. W. Tompkins, .	25		9,	R. Galbraith,	25	
11,	T. B. Patterson, ..	25			A. W. Gaskill, ...	25	
	Jones & Allen, ...	25			J. Denagre,	25	
	Do.	25		11,	I. & W. Genmodo,	25	
12,	M. Henszey,	25			M. Ferguson,	25	
	C. White,	25		12,	J. Sunderland,	25	
13,	H. Norman,	25			W. Elliott,	25	
	S. Williamson,	25		16,	J. M. Stewart,	25	
	D. H. Flickwir, ...	25		17,	Goodwin & Martin,	25	
14,	S. Rain,	25			J. Ketcham,	25	
	J. Gilbert Jr.,	25			I. Ballancee,	25	
15,	Jones & Allen, ...	25			G. Gardner,	25	
	T. U. Walter,	25			J. C. Bridge,	25	
16,	B. Errard,	25			J. Bilbrough,	25	
18,	W. D. Pitman, ...	25		18,	Hendrickson &		
	J. Rice,	25			Ellis,	25	
	J. L. Moore,	25			E. J. Toram,	25	
	Do.	25		19,	J. A. Gendell,	25	
19,	Parham & M'Clurg	25		21,	Biles & Yearsley, .	25	
	Carried forward,	130	25		Carried forward,	142	75

		Dolls.	C.			Dolls.	C.
1848.	Brought forward,	142	75	1848.	Brought forward,	146	00
Oct. 21,	W. A. Clopp,		25	Nov. 14,	G. Cox,		25
23,	J. W. M'Mahon, ..		25	15,	I. J. Phillips,		25
24,	T. H. Hall,		25	16,	J. O'Rourke,		25
27,	A. Doan,		25		J. D. Shaw,		25
30,	J. Vandyke,		25		T. M'Cullough, . . .		25
Nov. 1,	C. L. Keen,		25	20,	Ann Woodward, ..		25
3,	R. H. Knight,		25	22,	R. Newlin,		25
6,	I. Ballangee,		25		R. T. Knight,		25
7,	J. Thomas,		25	24,	J. Addis,		25
	F. Williams,		25	25,	T. Stokes,		25
10,	H. Smith,		25	27,	I. Bartlett,		25
13,	L. T. Bedford,		25	28,	J. Stevenson,		25
	R. Leonard,		25	29,	D. Swope,		25
	Carried forward,	146	00			149	25

Receipts by the City Clerk for Entries of Omnibuses, Hackney Coaches, Carts, Drays, Furniture Wagons, Wheelbarrows, and Hand-Carts, from January 1, 1848, to December 31, 1848.

1848.		Dolls.	C.	1848.		Dolls.	C.
Jan. 3,	J. C. Brown,		50		Brought forward,	57	50
	T. Jones,		50	April 3,	D. W. Williamson.		50
	J. Turner,		50		J. Malone,		50
10,	W. Silvey,	2			J. F. Wells,		50
	J. C. Skinner,	1			J. Dougherty,	1	
12,	P. Mullen,	1			J. Buchanan,	1	
18,	V. Shaffer,	1			R. Smith,		50
21,	P. Cook,	1		4,	A. M'Clay,	1	
25,	R. Snodgrass,	4			P. Finnegan,		50
26,	J. Neagle,		50		J. Duffly,	1	
27,	J. Weckert,	1			J. Peters, Sr.,	1	
	J. Gabriel,	1			J. Chambers,	1	
28,	J. Moore,	1			M. Hagan,		50
Feb. 1,	H. Hickman,	1		6,	J. Peters & Co.,	14	
2,	B. Kimble,	1			J. G. Webb,		50
3,	P. Lacy,	1			W. Upton,	1	
7,	P. M'Carty,	1			J. Clancy,		50
	H. Heincker,	1			M. M'Guigan,	1	
15,	N. Shearer,	2			C. Sullivan,		50
	G. Richardson,		50		B. Jones,		50
	C. Snetzel,	1			J. Fetter,		50
16,	W. Gilmer,	2			J. Mayd,	1	
17,	J. Robinson,	2			H. Wallace,		50
	W. Lee,	1			Thomas Spence,	1	
21,	J. Becket,		50		J. Gordon,		50
23,	Catherine A. Hines,	1			G. Richardson,		50
28,	B. M'Hadden,		50		E. M'Geehan,	1	50
Mar. 8,	H. Appel,	1			D. Dougherty,	8	
9,	D. Barron,	1			J. Roney,		50
	J. Marley,	1			W. M'Knight,	1	
11,	D. Naylor,	1			J. Boyd,	1	
13,	J. K. Williams,	2		7,	H. Fetterman,		50
14,	H. Delany,		50		N. L. Sutton,	1	
	G. Leeds,	1			I. Morris,	1	
17,	J. Alexander,		50		R. G. Blake,	1	
18,	R. Williams,	15			S. Reeds,		50
21,	R. Reading,		50		C. Byrne,		50
22,	J. Cole,	1			F. Welsh,	1	
28,	A. M'Feters,	1			J. Dady,		50
31,	J. Crawford,	1			P. Barry,		50
April 1,	H. Conagan,		50		B. Davlin,		50
	Carried forward,	57	50		Carried forward,	107	50

		Dolls.	C.			Dolls.	C.
1848.	Brought forward,	107	50	1848.	Brought forward,	180	00
April 8,	R. Linton,		50	April 13,	J. Law,		50
	J. Smith,	1			P. Donlan,	1	
	J. Dolan,		50	14,	J. Carlin,	1	
	G. G. Smith,	1			J. Holahan,		50
	P. Gorman,		50		J. Dunn,	2	50
	J. M'Devitt,	1			J. Conner,		50
	W. Madden,		50	15,	T. Harman,		50
	C. Brown,		50		C. Newman,	1	
	E. Ovenshine,	2	50		W. Stroud,	1	
	Snyder & Ovenshine,	7	50	17,	W. Wilmore,		50
	T. M'Swigan,	1			L. Derrickson,		50
	J. Duffy,		50		J. Hamilton,	1	
10,	J. Anderson,	1			A. Coling,		50
	P. Clark,		50		Snyder & Ovenshine,	5	
	J. Lynch,	2			T. Blunt,		50
	J. Haslett,	1			I. West,		50
	P. Devlin,		50	18,	I. Christian,		50
	P. Dugan,		50		P. Sullivan,		50
	D. Corran,	2		19,	P. Powers,		50
	J. Deviney,	5			W. Patterson,	2	
	D. Cahill,		50	20,	F. Croll,		50
	E. M'Geehan,		50		C. Driscoll,		50
	M. Lavin,	1	50	21,	A. Williams,		50
	R. Furlong,		50	22,	S. Logan,		50
	G. Boon,	1		24,	J. M'Namee,	1	
	J. Duffy,		50		S. J. Dicker,		50
	A. Cole,		50		R. Buchanan,		50
	J. F. Willetts,	1			W. Hunter,	1	
	J. M'Cartney,		50	25,	J. C. Brown,		50
11,	T. Clark,		50		M. Reilly,		50
	J. Derham,	2			F. T. Hall,		50
	T. Davan,		50		B. Nichols,		50
	G. Bedford,		50		G. Thompson,		50
	R. Williams,	3		26,	G. Cusack,		50
	A. Kerr,	3		27,	B. Bell,		50
	Kerr & Pickup,	4	50		S. Henry,		50
	J. M'Nerny,		50		J. Norman,		50
	J. M'Crea,		50		W. Sambo,		50
	A. M'Closky,		50		H. Freeman,		50
	H. L. Boone,	2			R. Dukes,		50
	A. Harvey,		50		J. Shire,		50
	J. Glenat,	13			L. Holly,		50
	J. Miller,		50		N. D. Minster,	2	50
	T. Jones,		50		P. Laws,		50
12	E. Conway,		50		J. Hamel,		50
	O. G. Howard,	1			O. White,		50
	W. Pawling,	1		28,	I. Wilson,		50
	E. Ledman,		50		M. Ricks,		50
	J. Carter,	1			S. Butler,		50
	W. Johnson,		50		W. Buchanan,		50
	Carried forward,	189	00		Carried forward,	218	50

		Dolls. C.			Dolls. C.
1848.	Brought forward,	218 50	1848.	Brought forward,	249 00
April 28,	W. Richardson, . . .	50	May 1,	W. W. Johnson, . .	50
	E. Hughes,	1		P. Jeffries,	1
	J. Brown,	50		E. Kinching,	50
	A. Till,	50		T. Caldwell,	50
	H. Mathews,	50		G. Anderson,	50
	J. Woodward,	50		A. Levington,	50
	S. Morris,	50		H. M'Cann,	50
	R. Jackson,	50		P. M'Inceer,	50
	B. Hogan,	50		J. Sullivan,	50
	J. Parker,	50	2,	A. Tate,	50
	P. J. Armstrong, . .	50		E. Middleton,	50
	N. Mathews,	50		J. Battis,	50
	J. Hickman,	50		B. Johnson,	50
	J. Hensel,	1		C. King,	50
	C. Wilson,	50		J. M'Neal,	50
	J. Gray,	50		L. W. Roberts,	50
	M. Ricks,	50		J. Teagle,	50
	R. V. J. Patterson, .	50	3,	W. E. Rogers,	2
29,	N. S. Chambers, . .	1		W. Mandliff,	50
	J. Holley,	50		P. Thompson,	50
	S. Harvey,	1		J. Henry,	50
	J. Hooper,	1		P. Mahony,	50
	R. Dutton,	50		J. Roddy,	2
	J. Mount,	2 50		C. C. Bustill,	50
	J. Johnston,	50		S. Bustill,	50
	J. F. Setiger,	50	4,	H. String,	50
	D. Russell,	50		J. Willis,	50
	F. Middleton,	50		J. Lewis,	50
	D. Miller,	50		E. Coachman,	50
	T. Sullivan,	50	5,	J. Moore,	50
	J. Burton,	50		D. Monahan,	50
	C. Todd,	50		P. Monahan,	50
	J. Gibbs,	50		G. Willis,	50
	J. Brown,	50	6,	S. Valentine,	50
	C. S. Young,	50		J. M. Coling,	50
	L. Giles,	50		C. Freeman,	50
	W. Ploudy,	50		A. Duckett,	50
	S. Short,	50		W. Gillom,	50
	S. S. Banks,	50		J. Burton,	50
	T. S. Williams, . . .	50		S. Sims,	50
	J. Devine,	50		W. Adams,	1
	J. Mason,	50		I. Riner,	50
	W. Patterson,	50	8,	D. Whittington, . .	50
May 1,	C. Carolan,	50		M. Grubb,	50
	J. Cassidy,	50		W. Hill,	50
	G. Green,	50		P. Hargess,	50
	W. Stevenson,	50		W. Shanklin,	50
	J. Turner,	50		J. Nagle,	50
	J. Ricks,	50		R. Miller,	1
	J. Decker,	50		W. Jeffries,	1
	J. Trauer,	1		H. Turner,	50
	Carried forward,	219 00		Carried forward,	279 50

		<i>D. ls</i>	<i>C.</i>			<i>Dolls.</i>	<i>C.</i>
1848.	Brought forward,	279	50	1848.	Brought forward,	309	00
May 8,	R. Johnson,.....	50		May 16,	P. M'Mullin,.....	50	
	W. Brady,.....	50		17,	J. Allen,.....	50	
9,	M. Flaherty,.....	50			J. Brown,.....	50	
	I. Lisbee,.....	50			D. Johnson,.....	50	
	S. Leary,.....	50			J. Harris,.....	50	
	S. Hardy,.....	50			J. Johnson,.....	50	
	J. Whelan,.....	50		18,	R. Hill,.....	50	
	J. M. Stewart,....	50			C. G. Volmer,....	1	
	J. Cozens,.....	50			J. Franklin,.....	50	
	J. Kelly,.....	50			J. Dougherty,....	1	
	J. Turner,.....	50			P. Tranner,.....	1	
	J. Ash,.....	50		19,	T. Williams,.....	1	
10,	J. Miller,.....	50		21,	I. R. Mason,.....	50	
	M. Sheperd,.....	50		22,	J. Powell,.....	50	
	J. Black,.....	50			D. T. Stewart,....	1	
	J. Horter,.....	50		24,	J. Boston,.....	50	
	J. Tell,.....	50			H. Brown,.....	50	
	S. Green,.....	50		25,	D. Supplee,.....	1	
	S. Lockman,.....	50			S. Wilson Jr.,....	3	
11,	G. Smith,.....	50			W. C. Piery,.....	1	
	J. Archer,.....	50			I. Holland,.....	1	
12,	G. Wilson,.....	50		26,	P. Bishop,.....	50	
	D. Dunlap,.....	50			H. Miller,.....	50	
	J. Murray,.....	50		27,	A. Bassett,.....	1	
	J. L. Ballard,....	50		29,	G. Francis,.....	50	
	C. White,.....	50			G. Rick,.....	50	
	W. Hill,.....	1		30,	W. Levington,....	50	
	E. Watts,.....	1			P. Lane,.....	50	
	R. Caldwell,.....	50		June 1,	H. G. Blake,.....	50	
	J. Hight,.....	50			J. Andrews,.....	50	
	W. C. Weaver,....	50			J. M'Connell,....	50	
	J. Rankin,.....	50			P. Mitchell,.....	50	
	J. Laws,.....	50			S. Grey,.....	1	
	S. Coling,.....	1			C. Schentzel,....	3	
13,	R. Roberts,.....	50			H. M. Womelsdorff,	3	
	R. Brick,.....	50			R. Gale,.....	50	
	J. Hazard,.....	50			D. Morgan,.....	50	
	P. Robbins,.....	1			P. Donnelly,.....	2	
15,	R. Young,.....	1			D. Walton,.....	1	
	J. C. Dickson,....	50			S. Wilson,.....	2	
	B. Grugan,.....	50			P. J. Roemmick, ..	2	
	P. Chambers,.....	50			Amelia Chase,....	1	
	W. J. Johnson,...	50			R. Wilson,.....	50	
	J. Hazard,.....	50			S. Meredith,.....	50	
	J. Parker,.....	50			E. Ovenshine,....	10	
16,	J. Robinson,.....	50			J. Cunningham, ..	50	
	B. Richardson,...	50		2,	R. Williams,.....	5	
	W. Braddock,....	50			G. Miller,.....	3	
	J. S. Bevans,.....	2			N. Shearer,.....	50	
	H. Hays,.....	50			J. Young,.....	1 50	
	W. Nichols,.....	50			J. Kane,.....	50	
	Carried forward,	309	00		Carried forward,	370	00

		Dolls. C.			Dolls. C.
1848.	Brought forward,	370 00	1848.	Brought forward,	428 00
June 2,	L. Harris,	2	June 6,	G. Custis,	50
	T. Ramage,	1 50		W. Pruitt,	50
	G. Potts,	1 50		J. Valentine,	50
	A. Archer,	1		W. Marlin,	1 50
	R. Wildey, Jr., . . .	1		J. M'Garity,	3
	J. Hagerty,	50		W. Cullin,	1 50
	W. Miller,	1 50		J. Beatty,	3
	S. Smith,	1 50		C. Wehmeier,	1
	Q. Divine,	50		J. Heany,	1
	J. M'Gonagle,	50		V. Poulson,	1
	S. Perry,	50		F. Mayland,	1
	W. Elliott,	50		M. Young,	50
3,	J. Summers,	10		J. Toorish,	1
	D. H. Loper,	1 50		J. Harrigan,	50
	W. Campbell,	2 50		M. Baner,	50
	J. Harvey,	1		P. Bradley,	50
	J. Christopher,	1		A. Sayers,	50
	J. Dorsey,	50		J. M'Cann,	50
	B. Brown,	50		N. Bradley,	50
	M. Green,	50		J. Long,	50
	E. Quigley,	50		J. Wilson,	1 50
	B. Wilson,	1 50		P. M'Gire,	50
	J. Turner,	50		W. Johnson,	1 50
	J. Marlin,	1 50		J. P. Parke,	4 50
	W. Grace,	50		J. Croek,	50
	J. Stuard,	2		W. Brown,	50
	R. Gallagher,	1	7,	R. Patton,	4
	J. Duffy,	50		E. Colton,	1 50
	P. Daly,	50		J. Conway,	50
	P. M'Anulty,	1		J. Crawford,	50
5,	J. M'Namee,	1		J. Prifold,	1 50
	S. Dickinson,	1 50		J. P. Prifold,	2 50
	A. Duncan,	1 50		B. Brown,	1
	V. Dull,	1		P. Jones,	50
	J. Moore,	1		Lætitia Davis,	50
	C. M'Alcer,	50		J. Newton,	50
	S. Williamson,	50		P. Lacy,	50
	M. H. Elsegood, . . .	50		W. Anderson,	50
	G. Dull,	50		P. Kelly,	3
	B. Collins,	1		J. Peterman,	50
	P. M'Carren,	50		W. Turner,	50
	B. Wilson,	50		J. Irwin,	1
	D. Doherty,	1		M. Stewart,	50
	J. Dolan,	50		J. Cook,	50
	N. Dougherty,	50		A. Wilson,	2
	B. Kimball,	2		J. Coyle,	50
	G. Kimball,	1		J. M'Devitt,	1
	J. T. Hubbard,	1		J. Rorebacher,	50
	P. Hailey,	50		W. Donnell,	50
	J. Roddy,	1 50		J. Smith,	50
	J. Webb,	50		D. Hutchinson,	1
	Carried forward,	428 00		Carried forward,	483 00

		Dolls.	C.			Dolls.	C.
1848.	Brought forward,	483	00	1848.	Brought forward	554	50
June 7,	J. Graham,.....	1		June 8,	M. D. Sweeny,....	1	50
	J. Dunlap,.....		50		P. Donahue,.....		50
	W. P. Way,.....		50		J. Lindsay,.....	1	50
	S. C. Wood,.....	2			J. Green,.....	2	
	J. Miller,.....		50		G. Bumm,.....	1	
	P. Ward,.....		50		Sarah Scattergood,.	2	
	S. L. Room,.....		50		T. Atkinson,.....		50
	J. Cole,.....		50		E. Quinn,.....		50
	W. M'Knight,....		50		W. Johnson,.....		50
	J. Mayd,.....		50	9,	H. Linden,.....	3	
	J. M'Mullin,.....	1			G. P. Weidner,....		50
	D. D. Fox,.....		50		J. Adams,.....	5	
	C. Gallen,.....	2			A. Desher,.....	6	50
	W. M'Kinney,....	1			J. P. Sayre,.....		50
	P. M'Kenna,.....		50		J. Behnke,.....		50
	L. Teese,.....	3	50		J. Duffy,.....		50
8,	T. M'Keown,....	1			C. M'Williams,...	1	
	S. Kennedy,.....		50		G. Randolph,.....	1	50
	H. Thompson,....		50		D. M'Connell,....		50
	R. Kerr,.....		50		W. Fetters,.....	1	50
	H. Hamilton,....	14			I. Archer,.....	1	
	E. Sweeny,.....	1			E. Guyer,.....		50
	J. J. Jenkins,....		50		J. Rush,.....		50
	J. S. Tomlinson, ..	1	50		M. Dick,.....		50
	J. Carter,.....		50		D. Harkins,.....		50
	J. Dillon,.....	2	50		J. Madden,.....	1	
	J. Matson,.....		50		B. Gillies,.....		50
	G. F. Clay,.....	3	50		W. Toy,.....		50
	W. Patton,.....		50		J. Flinn,.....		50
	J. Patton,.....		50		D. M'Gittigan,....	1	
	E. M'Carren,....	1	50		T. M'Swegan,....		50
	W. Cullen,.....	2			J. Brown,.....		50
	W. Burbedge,....		50		D. M'Curdy,....	3	50
	D. Brown,.....		50		W. Gilmer,.....	1	
	T. Smith,.....	1	50		J. Mullen,.....	1	
	F. Clark,.....		50		H. Gawn,.....	2	50
	R. Horner,.....	4			P. B. Leddin,....		50
	B. Quigley,.....	2	50		S. Soccum,.....	2	
	D. Lynch,.....		50		M. M'Grath,.....		50
	A. Warthman, Sr.,	3	50		W. Hunter,.....		50
	S. Warthman,....	1	50		J. M'Namee,....	1	50
	A. Warthman,....	2	50		T. M'Fall,.....		50
	A. Warthman, Jr.,	1	50		P. Mullin,.....		50
	P. Brown,.....		50		J. Lynch,.....	1	50
	W. Dunn,.....		50		R. Smith,.....	3	
	J. Robinson,....	1			T. M'Gill,.....	1	
	J. Conner,.....		50		J. Dunn,.....	1	
	J. D. Henry,....	1			P. Dunn,.....		50
	J. Mulcahill,....		50		W. Dugan,.....		50
	L. Cummins,.....		50		J. Gaffney,.....		50
	P. M'Garvey,....	1			J. Wise,.....	1	
	R. M'Closkey,....		50		O. M'Quale,.....	1	
	Carried forward,	554	50		Carried forward,	617	00

		Dolls. C.			Dolls. C.
1848.	Brought forward,	617 00	1848.	Brought forward,	661 00
June 9.	J. Giffillan,	1 50	June 12	J. Hughes,	1 50
10.	E. Burns,	1 50		P. Farrell,	50
	T. Blair,	1		P. Hickey,	1 50
	J. Eagan,	50		H. Martin,	1 50
	J. Logan,	1		E. Hughes,	50
	J. Monteith,	2		J. Simons,	1 50
	H. Kingsbury,	50		P. Donlan,	50
	P. Cooper,	50		W. Thompson,	1
	J. Green,	1		J. Thompson,	50
	S. W. Parker,	50		M. O'Brian,	2
	L. Dillon,	1 50		B. Nixon,	50
	P. C. Smith,	1 50		A. Barnes,	3
	T. Jones,	50		J. Donnell,	50
	E. J. Owens,	2 50		A. Cronhardt,	1
	W. E. Rodgers,	50		J. Casey,	50
	H. Post,	50		T. Craig,	50
	R. Douglass,	50		W. M. Adams,	3
	J. M'Clay,	1		J. Plumer,	3 50
	J. Quin,	50		J. M'Culloch,	50
	W. M'Mullin,	50		R. Pickens,	4
	F. A. Fox,	50		J. Weekly,	1
	J. Nugent,	50		W. Boles,	50
	W. Carpenter,	50		J. Kelly,	3 50
	P. Curtis,	2		W. Thornly,	2
	D. Orr,	1		R. Harper,	1 50
	P. Mullin,	50		G. M'Comb,	50
	J. Dunbar,	50		G. Lovett,	1
	J. K. Williams,	1		H. Trusty,	50
	J. Murtland,	4		M. Grugan,	1 50
	G. Kockersperger,	50		M. Carrigan,	50
	J. Chambers,	50		J. M. Johnson,	1
	M. Crilly,	50		R. W. Norris,	1 50
	I. G. Stratton,	50		J. Tate,	50
	P. Daly,	50		C. Clark,	1
	R. Welsh,	50		R. Adair,	50
	J. Montgomery,	50		C. Ely,	1
	J. Smith,	1		F. Fitzpatrick,	50
	M. Kane,	50		B. Fagan,	1
	J. Wilkins,	50		P. M'Carty,	50
	J. Rush,	1		A. Drinkhouse,	1
	J. Murphy,	50		I. Crawford,	50
	M. Toner,	50		B. B. Craycroft,	2
	J. Robinson,	1		H. M'Neall,	50
	J. Hamilton,	50	13.	I. M'Donnell,	50
	C. Shorter,	50		J. M'Poil,	50
	A. Potter,	1		C. Hughes,	50
	C. Duffy,	1		W. Parke,	50
	W. Pawling,	50		A. W. Kirk,	50
	C. Hall,	50		P. Gillin,	50
	J. Hensell,	50		J. Williams,	50
	H. Heincker,	50		C. Anderson,	1
	J. W. Harley,	50		W. M'Devit,	50
	Carried forward,	661 00		Carried forward,	718 00

		Dolls. C.			Dolls. C.
1848.	Brought forward,	718 00	1848.	Brought forward,	781 00
June 13,	M. Love,	50	June 15,	J. Long,	1 50
	C. Gallagher,	1 50		C. Brown,	50
	H. Riley,	50		J. Corn,	50
	J. Riley,	50		M. M'Guigan,	1
	R. M'Daid,	1		W. Stratton,	50
	A. Gallagher,	8	16,	M. Snyder Jr.,	50
	L. Cephas,	50		P. Buchanan,	50
	C. Jackson,	50		T. Harvey,	50
	H. Smith,	1		J. Brown,	2
	W. Kilson,	50		J. Fox,	50
	I. Christy,	50		S. H. Gilbert,	1
	S. Leitch,	1		J. Stuart,	50
	W. Silvey,	50		J. Christy,	50
	B. Cohen,	50		R. Moore,	1 50
	A. Hartman,	50	17,	J. W. Rowentree,	50
	C. A. Barnett,	1 50		D. Burton,	50
	M. Flynn,	1		J. Logan,	50
	J. Carroll,	2 50		F. Campbell,	50
	B. F. Walton,	1 50		W. Patterson,	1
	J. M'Namee,	50		W. Barr,	50
	A. M'Feeters,	50	19,	J. Pollock,	50
	J. S. Lister,	1		J. Cavins,	1 50
14,	I. Libhard,	50		P. M'Gillan,	50
	E. M'Gurk,	1		P. Etter,	3 50
	W. Cook,	50		J. Tole,	1 50
	J. Simon,	50		R. Snodgrass,	2
	A. Carter,	50		M. Quigley,	50
	W. H. Boyer,	50		M. Gallagher,	1
	H. Donley,	1	20,	T. Rogers,	1
	A. Lenon,	10		C. Gallen,	2
	A. Young,	1		A. Speiske,	50
	P. Fisher,	50		J. Feters,	7
	C. Hagerty,	50		E. Farly,	1
	J. M'Ginty,	1		S. Smith,	50
	G. M'Ginty,	50		M. M'Gillin,	50
	W. Jones,	1		I. Times,	50
	J. Civil,	1		J. Lowry,	1
	T. Lipsay,	1 50	21,	J. K. Snyder,	50
	S. A. Vansciver,	4		S. Wiley,	50
	D. Naylor,	50		J. Fielding,	50
	J. Bimmer,	2 50		R. Andrews,	1 50
	F. Wieland,	1		C. Burns,	50
	H. Roop,	50		A. Elliott,	50
	V. Skipton,	50		S. Cornish,	1
15,	W. Hamilton,	1		J. Develin,	50
	D. Morgan Jr.,	50		C. Blind,	50
	P. Hooper,	50		N. Jenkins,	2
	A. Ludwick,	50		D. Corran,	1 50
	J. Marlin,	2		W. Thompson,	1
	H. Logan,	50		J. Conway,	50
	J. Moore,	50		J. Dunmore,	50
	T. Collins,	1	22,	M. Keyser,	1 50
	Carried forward,	781 00		Carried forward,	834 00

		Dolls. C.			Dolls. C.
1848.	Brought forward,	834 00	1848.	Brought forward,	897 50
June 22,	J. Elliott,	1	July 7,	J. Francis,	1
23,	C. Brason,	50		D. M. Patton,	1
	W. Brown,	1 50	8,	T. Dougherty,	1
	J. Brown,	50		W. Lomas,	1
24,	C. W. Bender,	4		P. M'Donough,	2
	J. Ritchie,	1	10,	N. Rogers,	1
	J. Marley,	1		H. Beckley,	2
	E. White,	1 50	11,	J. Rithveger,	1
	J. Dull,	2		W. M'Bride,	2
	J. M'Mahan,	1		J. M'Call,	8
	C. Dull,	3 50	12,	S. Smith,	1
	F. Beck,	50		T. Hamel,	3
26,	D. Wilson,	50		W. M. Murray,	50
	T. Keow,	1	13,	S. Ferry,	1
	J. Gallagher,	1 50		A. Wathman Jr., . . .	2
	W. Peterson,	1 50		J. Ferry,	1
	C. Walls,	50	14,	A. Willett,	50
	J. Murtland,	5		G. Beden,	1
	G. Roberts,	50		T. P. Wilson,	1
	W. Forbes,	2	17,	W. Webb,	1
27,	G. Kelley,	50		T. Sammons,	50
	W. Fletcher,	2	18,	S. Hider,	8
	J. Nolan,	50		H. Sweeney,	6
	J. Moore,	2 50	19,	C. Matlack,	1
	R. M'Knight,	50		O. G. Howard,	3
28,	W. T. Long,	4	20,	A. Cronhardt,	2
	R. Jackson,	50		J. Searles,	5
	A. M'Mahon,	50	25,	P. M'Carty,	1
	J. Buck,	50		J. W. Orr,	7
	J. Gilfillan,	50		J. Hensell,	1
29,	J. M'Fetridge,	1 50	26,	W. Thornley,	1
	J. S. Weeks,	1	27,	Sheridan & Kellogg,	15
	N. D. Mustin,	50		T. Martin,	50
	W. Mustard,	1		B. Chambley,	1
30,	R. Buck,	50	28,	J. Finshure,	1
	J. Trimble,	50		H. Farren,	1
	D. M. Patton,	1		Homan & Hughes, . . .	10
	C. Roddy,	1	29,	P. M'Donough,	1
July 1,	J. Wallace,	3 50		W. Simpson,	1
	F. M'Kinney,	50	31,	J. Callan,	3
	W. Lynch,	50	Aug. 2,	P. J. Murphy,	50
	J. G. Mills,	1		H. D. Stuart,	10
	C. M'Devitt,	50	3,	E. Eckirby,	50
	J. Abernethy,	1		I. Green,	50
3,	J. Freeman,	1		S. Gay,	1
	W. Duffy,	50		R. Zaue,	2
	S. Short,	50		F. Duffy,	15
4,	W. Webb,	1	4,	T. Harvey,	1
5,	J. Hughes,	1	5,	C. W. C. Crane,	50
	J. Brady,	1	8,	A. Benner,	3
	A. Walker,	1		M. Regan,	1
	A. Godfrey,	1		W. H. Moore,	10
	Carried forward,	897 50		Carried forward,	1043 00

		Dolls. C.			Dolls. C.
1848.	Brought forward,	1043 00	1848.	Brought forward,	168 50
Aug. 9,	H. Cassidy,	1	Oct. 4,	J. Patterson,	1
	T. Ryan,	1		5, E. Monahan,	1
10,	J. Gallagher,	1		6, G. A. Scott,	1 50
	C. H. Carpenter, ..	1		H. Daley,	50
11,	J. W. Powell,	10		9, W. L. Skilman, ...	10
14,	G. Kincaid,	50		G. B. Smith,	2
	M. Branen,	1	10,	W. Gilbert,	50
	J. Turner,	1	11,	J. Walker,	50
	H. Freeman,	50	12,	J. Watts,	2
	A. M'Donough, ...	1		A. Thomas,	50
	E. Trimmer,	20	16,	B. A. Room,	1
15,	J. Lynch,	1		S. S. Banks,	50
	J. Cox,	50	18,	C. L. Jordan,	1
17,	B. Murrey,	1	20,	W. Walls,	1
	P. Mulgrew,	1	24,	J. M'Fall,	2
	J. M'Laughlin, ...	20	26,	Luke Meckins, ...	1
19,	F. Woodson Jr., ..	1	27,	J. Quigley,	1
21,	R. Miller,	1	30,	A. Snead,	10
	H. Thompson,	1		I. Day,	50
	O. Wiley,	50	31,	A. Rae,	1
23,	W. H. Scott,	50	Nov. 2,	P. Kennedy,	2
25,	D. M'Connell,	1		4, J. E. Reesede,	15
	J. Cairns,	1		6, J. M'Culloch,	1
	C. Clothier,	1		W. Doyle,	1
28,	W. M'Dermott, ...	1		9, J. E. Reesede,	5
	G. R. Van Lear, ..	5		J. Shannon Jr., ...	2
29,	B. O'Hara,	50	10,	J. Patterson,	1
	P. Riley,	50	16,	M. G. Coudon,	1
31,	G. Weber,	50	20,	P. Bogan,	2
Sep. 2,	H. Shelley,	50	22,	W. Farer,	50
4,	T. Martin,	50		C. W. Leech,	50
	A. Walker,	1	24,	R. Williams,	2
	J. Everett,	50		W. James,	50
	T. Branson,	2	27,	M. M. Carpenter, .	50
6,	B. H. Reason,	50	29,	R. Buchanan,	5
7,	D. Cobb,	50	Dec. 1,	J. Sheerer,	2
8,	W. Hill,	50		4, U. C. Bishop,	1
9,	P. Harvey,	50		J. Harper,	50
11,	P. Carney,	1		Gartland & Mine-	
12,	C. Wakeley,	10		han,	5
13,	P. Green,	3	16,	M. Thackery,	2
	D. Kelly,	50	19,	A. Harvey,	2
14,	L. Gahagan,	1	21,	W. L. Skillman, ..	5
	J. Paynter,	1	23,	O. M'Quale,	2
	L. Fayette,	10			
15,	O. Stephens,	10			
19,	W. Gullen,	1			
20,	W. Denby,	1			
23,	D. Darragh,	2			
Oct. 2,	Z. Evans,	50			
4,	P. Curtis,	1			
	P. Flaherty,	50			
	Carried forward,	1168 50		Receipts for Permits as above,	149 25
					1413 75

Payments to the City Treasurer by the City Clerk, from Jan. 1, 1848, to Dec. 31, 1848.

1848.				Dolls.	C.
Jan.	8,	Cash paid C. Stevenson, City Treasurer,	- - -	1	50
	15,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	4	00
	22,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	2	00
	29,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	7	50
Feb.	5,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	3	00
	12,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	2	00
	19,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	8	50
	26,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	10	50
Mar.	4,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	5	25
	11,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	6	50
	18,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	24	50
	25,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	6	50
	31,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	8	00
April	1,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	1	50
	8,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	74	75
	15,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	67	25
	22,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	18	50
May	1,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	47	50
	8,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	34	50
	13,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	31	25
	20,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	21	25
	27,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	14	50
June	3,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	83	00
	20,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	256	50
	17,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	139	00
	24,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	61	00
	30,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	34	75
July	8,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	25	50
	15,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	28	25
	22,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	31	00
	29,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	43	25
Aug.	5,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	37	75
	12,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	29	75
	19,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	50	00
	25,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	9	00
Sep.	2,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	10	75
	9,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	11	00
	16,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	39	75
	23,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	7	50
	30,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	2	25
Oct.	7,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	9	00
	41,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	17	25
	21,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	6	50
	28,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	4	75
Nov.	4,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	29	25
	11,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	11	00
	20,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	2	75
	25,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	6	75
Dec.	2,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	8	25
	9,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	6	50
	16,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	2	00
	23,	Ditto, ditto, ditto,	- - -	9	00
				1413	75

ROBERT H. SMITH, *City Clerk.*

Philadelphia, December 31st, 1848.

CITY RENTAL FOR 1849.

	<i>Dolls.</i>	<i>C</i>
313 Butchers' stalls, from \$150 to \$20,	15210	00
598 Farmers' and Vegetable stalls and stands, from \$50 to \$12,	14069	00
158 Dealers' stands, from \$45 to \$15,	4845	00
61 Fish-basket and Fish-wagon stands, from \$60 to \$6,	1722	00
189 Intersection stands, from \$20 to \$2,	1380	00
Vine street wharf on Delaware,	1125	00
Sassafras street wharf, do.	1250	00
Mulberry street wharf, do.	1200	00
High street wharf, do.	1200	00
Chestnut street wharf, do.	1525	00
Walnut street wharf, do.	400	00
Dock street wharf, do.	3500	00
Spruce street wharf, do.	200	00
Pine street wharf, do.	500	00
Cedar street wharf, do.	250	00
House and lot east side of Water street above Dock street,	150	00
Store, Dock street, No. 1, corner of Delaware avenue,	500	00
Lot north-east corner of Front and Dock streets,	300	00
Stores, Nos. 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, Dock street east of Water street, each \$425,	2550	00
Store, south-west corner of Dock and Front streets,	350	00
Store, north-west corner of Front and Spruce streets, lower story,	200	00
Lower floor of three stores, Front street, between Dock and Spruce streets, together with part of Tobacco Warehouse,	1000	00
Income of Tobacco Inspection Warehouse,	10000	00
Sassafras street wharf on Schuylkill (vacant,)		
Mulberry street wharf, do.		
Nos. 1 and 2 of City property on Schuylkill, including Chestnut street wharf, City stores, wharf and dock attached,	1000	00
Nos. 3 and 4 of do., \$250; No. 5 of do. including the landing and docks, \$350,	600	00
Walnut street wharf on Schuylkill,	200	00
George street wharf, do.		
Spruce street wharf, do. (vacant,)	130	00
Pine street wharf, do. do.		
Lombard street wharf, do. do.		
Cedar street wharf, do.	50	00
Second story of the Statehouse,	2000	00
Six lots west of Schuylkill,	367	50
House and two lots west of Schuylkill,	150	00
Two lots, south side of Lombard street, between Ninth and Tenth streets, let on ground rent,	90	00
Amount carried forward,	68013	50

	<i>Dolls.</i>	<i>C.</i>
Amount brought forward,	68013	50
Ten feet square of lot south-west corner of Tenth and Lombard streets,	5	00
Lot bounded by the Schuylkill, High street, Filbert street, and Ashton street,	500	00
Two houses in Ann street, between Schuylkill Seventh and Schuylkill Eighth streets, at \$80 each,	160	00
Station House No. 2,	120	00
Ditto, 3,	100	00
Ditto, 4,	120	00
Lot north side of Chestnut street, from Schuylkill Front street to Ash alley,	40	00
Lot on Beech street, between High and Chestnut streets,	40	00
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	69098	50

The total amount of stall and stand rents, stated above, is \$37,226 00, and includes all the stalls and stands in the Market-houses. The amount received for Market-houses in 1848, was \$35 971 07.

CITY COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, }
January 27th, 1849. }

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:

The City Commissioners respectfully submit to Councils the following Report in relation to the public work for 1848, showing the location and expense of the same.

PATCHING NORTH DISTRICT, FOR 1848.

1848.

Jan.	13,	For Patching, per pay-roll,	\$86 27
Feb.	3,	" Ditto, ditto,	40 76
	10,	" Ditto, ditto,	57 50
Mar.	9,	" Ditto, ditto,	88 25
	23,	" Ditto, ditto,	47 87
April	13,	" Ditto, ditto,	150 24
	27,	" Ditto, ditto,	150 10
May	11,	" Ditto, ditto,	194 61
	25,	" Ditto, ditto,	242 20
June	15,	" Ditto, ditto,	332 60
	29,	" Ditto, ditto,	201 25
July	13,	" Ditto, ditto,	172 25
	27,	" Ditto, ditto,	205 74
Aug.	10,	" Ditto, ditto,	189 80
	24,	" Ditto, ditto,	135 11
Sept.	14,	" Ditto, ditto,	228 37
	28,	" Ditto, ditto,	152 20
Oct.	19,	" Ditto, ditto,	215 62
	26,	" Ditto, ditto,	37 80
Nov.	9,	" Ditto, ditto,	204 35
	23,	" Ditto, ditto,	253 62
Dec.	14,	" Ditto, ditto,	459 12
	28,	" Ditto, ditto,	241 98

Amount carried forward, \$4,087 61

1848.	Amount brought forward,	\$4,087 61	
Dec. 30,	For patching, per pay-roll,	42 50	
	“ Miscellaneous patching and re- pairing unimproved streets, &c., - - -	385 02	
		<hr/>	\$4,515 13
	“ 120 Team loads paving stones at \$3, -	\$60 00	
	“ Blacksmithin, -	118 87	
	“ 2000 Feet footway stones at 33 cents, - -	660 00	
	“ Shovels, &c., - -	26 12	
	“ Rammers, - -	27 00	
	“ Rent of stone lot, -	10 00	
	“ Wharfage on paving stones, -	9 50	
	“ Tramway stones, -	23 22	
	“ Gutter stones, - -	17 60	
	“ 23,000 Gutter bricks at \$8, -	184 00	
		<hr/>	1,436 31
Dec. 28,	“ Gravel bills, as per contract,		1,346 13
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			\$7,297 57
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	<i>New Inlets and repairs,</i> -		\$650 00
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*New Sewer, Schuylkill Eighth Street between Mulberry and
Cherry, and Two New Inlets.*

June 15,	For 20,000 Hard bricks at \$6, -	\$120 00
24,	“ Labour, - - - -	138 50
July 8,	“ Ditto, - - - -	17 00
22,	“ Ditto, - - - -	24 50
	“ Screened gravel, - - - -	10 00
28,	“ Bricklayer's bill, - - - -	59 00
Aug. 11,	“ Lime bill, - - - -	11 20
Sept. 14,	“ Inlet stones and portorage, -	22 08
	“ Stone-cutting, curb, &c., at inlets,	10 40
	“ Cast-iron covers for inlets, -	18 00
	“ Lumber, carpenter work, hardware, smith work and portorage, -	12 50
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		\$443 18
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*New Sewer, Sassafras Street between Bread and Delaware
1848. Third, and Two New Inlets.*

Nov.	4,	For Labour,	-	-	-	\$56 00
	18,	" Ditto,	-	-	-	102 75
	24,	" 27,000 Hard bricks at \$6,	-	-	-	162 00
		" Screened gravel,	-	-	-	5 58
		" Lime,	-	-	-	9 50
Dec.	14,	" Bricklayer's bill,	-	-	-	59 62
		" Inlet stones and portorage,	-	-	-	11 37
		" Stone-cutting, curb, &c., at inlets,	-	-	-	14 45
		" Cast-iron covers for inlets,	-	-	-	25 50
		" Lumber, carpenter work, hardware, smith work and portorage,	-	-	-	10 50
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						\$457 27
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New Paving Logan Street between Sassafras and Vine Streets.

May	20,	For Labour,	-	-	-	\$8 93
July	8,	" Ditto,	-	-	-	220 25
	22,	" Ditto,	-	-	-	88 00
Aug.	19,	" Ditto,	-	-	-	110 00
Sept.	9,	" Ditto,	-	-	-	45 00
	23,	" Ditto,	-	-	-	15 00
		" 7,000 Gutter bricks at \$8,	-	-	-	56 00
		" 283 Team loads paving stones at \$3,	-	-	-	849 00
		" 646 " " gravel at 50 cents,	-	-	-	323 00
		" 100 Feet footway stones at 33 cents,	-	-	-	33 00
		" Smith work and portorage,	-	-	-	16 40
		" Wharfage on paving stones,	-	-	-	17 69
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						1900 Yards, cost about 93½ cts. per yard, \$1,782 27
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*New Paving Schuylkill Third Street, between Mulberry and
Sassafras Streets.*

Aug.	19,	For Labour,	-	-	-	\$100 25
Sept.	9,	" Ditto,	-	-	-	148 00
	23,	" Ditto,	-	-	-	18 30
		" 7,000 Gutter bricks at \$8,	-	-	-	56 00
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						Amount carried forward, \$322 55

1848.	Amount brought forward,	\$322 55
	For 275 Team loads paving stones at \$3,	825 00
	“ 902 “ “ gravel at 50 cents,	451 00
	“ 100 Feet footway stones at 33 cents,	33 00
	“ Smith work and portorage, -	12 50
	“ Wharfage on paving stones, -	17 19
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	1850 Yards cost about 90 cts. per yard,	\$1,661 24
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New Paving Schuylkill Second Street, between High and Filbert Streets.

Oct.	14,	For Labour, - - - -	\$9 50
	21,	“ Ditto, - - - -	69 08
Nov.	4,	“ Ditto, - - - -	30 16
		“ 3,500 Gutter bricks at \$8, -	28 00
		“ 153 Team loads paving stones at \$3,	459 00
		“ 288 “ “ gravel at 50 cents,	144 00
		“ 75 Feet footway stones at 33 cents,	24 75
		“ Smith work and portorage, -	6 00
		“ Wharfage on paving stones, -	9 56
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		975 Yards cost about 80 cents per yard,	\$780 05
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Repaving Juniper Street, between Mulberry and Cherry Streets.

Oct.	14,	For Labour, - - - -	\$72 25
	21,	“ Ditto, - - - -	21 00
	28,	“ 2,000 Gutter bricks at \$8, -	16 00
		“ 13 Team loads paving stones at \$3,	49 00
		“ 50 “ “ gravel at 62 cents,	31 00
		“ 54 Feet footway stones at 33 cents,	17 82
		“ Wharfage on paving stones and smith work and portorage, -	3 50
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		534 Yards cost about 40 cents per yard,	\$210 57
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New Steps in Public Alley, between Delaware Front and Water Streets and between Sassafras and Vine Streets.

Oct.	26,	For Bill, as per contract, with Gates & Baird, for materials, labour, &c.,	\$236 62
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A. G. HINES, C. C.

PATCHING SOUTH DISTRICT, FOR 1848.

1848.				
Jan.	13,	For Patching, per pay roll,	\$42	30
Feb.	3,	" Ditto, ditto,	57	41
	10,	" Ditto, ditto,	83	40
Mar.	9,	" Ditto, ditto,	45	27
April	13,	" Ditto, ditto,	245	19
	27,	" Ditto, ditto,	236	56
May	11,	" Ditto, ditto,	242	12
	25,	" Ditto, ditto,	226	25
June	15,	" Ditto, ditto,	506	76
	29,	" Ditto, ditto,	372	96
July	13,	" Ditto, ditto,	288	50
	27,	" Ditto, ditto,	396	81
Aug.	10,	" Ditto, ditto,	306	25
	24,	" Ditto, ditto,	358	37
Sept.	14,	" Ditto, ditto,	381	06
	28,	" Ditto, ditto,	278	69
Oct.	19,	" Ditto, ditto,	338	86
	26,	" Ditto, ditto,	195	50
Nov.	9,	" Ditto, ditto,	364	37
	23,	" Ditto, ditto,	139	00
Dec.	14,	" Ditto, ditto,	308	20
	28,	" Ditto, ditto,	241	87
		" Miscellaneous patching and repairing unimproved sts.,	375	36
			<hr/> \$6,031 06	
		" 126 Team loads paving stones at \$3, - -	\$378	00
		" Blacksmithing, - -	133	66
		" 1600 Feet footway stones at 33 cents, - -	528	00
		" Shovels, &c., - -	30	78
		" 25,900 Gutter bricks at \$8,	207	30
		" Wharfage on paving stones,	8	00
Amounts carried forward,			\$1,285 64	\$6,031 06

1848.	Amounts brought forward,	\$1,285 64	\$6,031 06
	For 937 Feet gutter stones,		
	at 20 cents,	- -	187 40
	" 483 do. do. at 22		
	cents,	- -	106 26
			<hr/> 1,579 30
	" Gravel bills as per con-		
	tract,	- -	1,854 93
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	<i>New Inlets and repairs,</i>		\$825 00
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New Sewer, Pine Street between Delaware Front Street and Delaware River, and Five New Inlets.

June 15,	For Labour,	- - - -	\$ 61 20
29,	" Ditto,	- - - -	217 85
July 13,	" Ditto,	- - - -	125 00
	" 55,500 Hard bricks at \$6,	-	333 00
Aug. 10,	" Bricklayer's bill,	- - - -	185 00
10,	" Inlet stones and portorage,	-	23 94
	" Lime bill,	- - - -	31 50
	" Screened gravel,	- - - -	13 12
Sept. 28,	" Stone-cutting, curb, &c., at inlets,	-	39 52
	" Cast-iron covers for inlets,	-	65 00
	" Lumber, carpenter work, hardware,		
	smith work and portorage,	-	31 37
			<hr/> \$1,126 50
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New Sewer, Pear Street between Dock and Delaware Third, and Three New Inlets.

July 13,	For Labour,	- - - -	\$ 79 75
27,	" Ditto,	- - - -	87 00
	" 17,000 Hard bricks at \$6,	-	102 00
	" Bricklayer's bill,	- - - -	102 00
Sept. 14,	" Inlet stones and portorage,	-	23 62
28,	" Stone cutting, curb, &c., at inlets,	-	32 97
	" Screened gravel,	- - - -	8 50
	" Lime bill,	- - - -	10 50
	" Cast-iron covers for inlets,	-	35 00
			<hr/> Amount carried forward,
			\$481 34

1848.	Amount brought forward,	\$481 34
	For Lumber, carpenter work, hardware, smith work and portorage, -	18 75
		<hr/> \$500 09 <hr/>

New Sewer, Little George Street between Swanwick Street and Delaware Sixth, and in Delaware Sixth between Little George and Walnut, and Three New Inlets.

Sep. 14,	For Labour, - - - -	\$244 25
28,	" Ditto, - - - -	97 75
	" 41,500 Hard bricks at \$6, -	249 00
	" Bricklayer's bill, - - - -	113 00
	" Lime bill, - - - -	23 40
	" Screened gravel, - - - -	7 50
	" Inlet stones and portorage, -	23 90
	" Stone-cutting, curb, &c., at inlets,	18 16
	" Cast-iron covers for inlets, -	35 00
	" Lumber, carpenter work, hardware, smithing and portorage, -	21 50
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Repairing Lombard Street Wharf.

Oct. 26,	For Bill of Collar, Neveling & Hay, for labour, materials, &c., -	\$818 93
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New Paving, Schuylkill Eighth Street between Lombard and Cedar Streets.

May 11,	For Labour, - - - -	\$ 11 50
June 15,	" Ditto, - - - -	8 00
Oct. 14,	" Ditto, - - - -	3 45
Nov. 9,	" Ditto, - - - -	140 75
23,	" Ditto, - - - -	144 00
	" 3,500 Gutter bricks at \$8, -	28 00
	" 145 Team loads paving stones at \$3,	435 00
	" 304 " " gravel at 60 cents,	182 40
	" 100 Feet footway stones at 33 cents,	33 00
	" Wharfage on paving stones, -	9 06
	" Smith work and portorage, -	17 50
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	1000 Yards cost about \$1 per yard,	\$1,012 66

*New Paving Leader Court, south from Stone Street, between
Schuylkill Seventh and Schuylkill Eighth Streets.*

1848.

July 13,	For Labour, - - - -	\$18 50
	" 250 Gutter bricks at \$8, -	2 00
	" 9 Team loads paving stones at \$3,	27 00
	" 14 " " gravel at 60 cents,	8 40
	" 16 Feet footway stones at 33 cents,	5 28
	" Wharfage, smith work and portorage,	3 25
64 Yards cost about \$1 per yard,		<u>\$64 43</u>

*New Paving Ceruse Street, between Stone and Lombard and
between Schuylkill Seventh and Eighth Streets.*

Aug. 10,	For Labour, - - - -	\$11 00
24,	" Ditto, - - - -	35 00
	" 1000 Gutter bricks at \$8, -	8 00
	" 16 Team loads paving stones at \$3,	48 00
	" 25 " " gravel at 60 cents,	15 00
	" 16 Feet footway stones at 33 cents,	5 28
	" Wharfage, smith work and portorage,	6 50
128 Yards cost about \$1 per yard,		<u>\$128 78</u>

New Paving Schuylkill Fourth, between Spruce and Pine Streets.

June 15,	For Labour, - - - -	\$ 2 00
29,	" Ditto, - - - -	9 00
Sept. 14,	" Ditto, - - - -	323 50
28,	" Ditto, - - - -	50 00
	" 5,500 Gutter bricks at \$8, -	44 00
	" 210 Team loads paving stones at \$3,	630 00
	" 498 " " gravel at 60 cents,	298 80
	" 100 Feet footway stones at 33 cents,	33 00
	" Wharfage on paving stones, -	13 00
	" Blacksmithing and portorage, -	21 50
1435 Yards cost about 99 cts. per yard,		<u>\$1,424 80</u>

*New Paving George Street, between Schuylkill Third and
Fourth Streets.*

June 29,	For Labour,	-	-	-	-	\$ 5 00
July 13,	" Ditto,	-	-	-	-	6 50
Sept. 28,	" Ditto,	-	-	-	-	300 75
Oct. 19,	" Ditto,	-	-	-	-	93 18
	" 4,400 Gutter bricks at \$8,	-	-	-	-	35 20
	" 133 Team loads paving stones at \$3,	-	-	-	-	399 00
	" 250 " " gravel at 60 cents,	-	-	-	-	150 00
	" 100 Feet footway stones at 33 cents,	-	-	-	-	33 00
	" Wharfage on paving stones,	-	-	-	-	8 25
	" Blacksmithing and portorage,	-	-	-	-	18 00
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935 Yards cost about \$1 12 per yard,						\$1048 88
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*New Paving Howell Street, between Schuylkill Third and
Fourth Streets.*

May 14,	For Labour,	-	-	-	-	\$ 9 00
June 15,	" Ditto,	-	-	-	-	6 25
Sept. 14,	" Ditto,	-	-	-	-	188 51
28,	" Ditto,	-	-	-	-	39 27
	" 4,500 Gutter bricks at \$8,	-	-	-	-	36 00
	" 135 Team loads paving stones at \$3,	-	-	-	-	405 00
	" 211 " " gravel at 60 cents,	-	-	-	-	126 60
	" 88 Feet footway stones at 33 cents,	-	-	-	-	29 04
	" Wharfage on paving stones,	-	-	-	-	8 35
	" Blacksmithing and portorage,	-	-	-	-	16 00
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935 Yards cost about 92 cents per yard,						\$864 02
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*New Paving Latimer Street, between Schuylkill Sixth and
Schuylkill Seventh Streets.*

July 27,	For Labour,	-	-	-	-	\$ 80 00
Aug. 10,	" Ditto,	-	-	-	-	10 00
Oct. 19,	" Ditto,	-	-	-	-	15 00
26,	" Ditto,	-	-	-	-	76 00
Nov. 19,	" Ditto,	-	-	-	-	53 50
19,	" Ditto, altering grade,	-	-	-	-	34 00
Dec. 14,	" Ditto, ditto,	-	-	-	-	62 00
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Amount carried forward, \$330 50

1848.	Amount brought forward,	\$330 50
	For 4,000 Gutter bricks at \$8, -	32 00
	" 99 Team loads paving stones at \$3,	297 00
	" 56 Feet footway stones at 33 cents,	18 48
	" 195 Team Loads gravel at 60 cents,	117 00
	" Wharfage on paving stones, -	6 10
	" Blacksmithing and portorage, -	11 25
	" Resetting 824 feet curbstones, altering grade, - - -	49 44
	660 Yards cost about \$1 30 per yard,	<u>\$861 77</u>

New Paving Ralston Street, east of Juniper, between Pine and Lombard Streets.

Oct. 21,	For Labour, - - - -	\$ 6 00
Nov. 9,	" Ditto, - - - -	23 00
23,	" Ditto, - - - -	51 00
	" 1250 Gutter bricks at \$8, - -	10 00
	" 21 Team loads paving stones at \$3,	61 00
	" 62 " " gravel at 60 cents,	37 20
	" 16 Feet footway stones at 33 cents,	5 28
	" Wharfage, blacksmithing and portorage, - - - -	4 25
	185 Yards cost about \$1 07 cents per yard, - - - -	<u>\$197 73</u>

Repaving Dock Street, in part, between Second and Walnut Streets.

July 13,	For Labour, - - - -	\$ 68 87
27,	" Ditto, - - - -	70 00
Aug. 10,	" Ditto, - - - -	102 75
Nov. 4,	" Ditto, - - - -	24 15
	" 21 Team loads paving stones at \$3,	63 00
	" 86 " " gravel at 78 cents,	67 08
	" Blacksmithing, wharfage and portorage, - - - -	10 50
	" 200 Feet gutter stones at 22 cents,	44 00
		<u>\$450 35</u>

APPENDIX, No. XXVII.

The Committee on Finance—

REPORT:

That in the Ordinance for making appropriations and raising supplies for the year 1849, there was an accidental omission to deduct from the appropriations to the Watering Committee and the Committee on Cleansing, the balances standing to their credits on the 31st of December, 1848; to rectify the omissions the following resolution is offered.

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be directed to charge the Watering Committee with the sum of \$4,504 03, and the Committee on Cleansing with \$4 57, the same being the amounts standing to their credits respectively on the books of the Treasurer on the 31st of December, 1848.

JOHN C. DAVIS, *Chairman*.
JAS. R. GEMMILL,
CHARLES GILPIN,
JOHN TRUCKS,
WILLIAM MORRIS,
WM. G. MENTZ,
ISAAC ELLIOTT.

February 13, 1849.

APPENDIX, No. XXVIII.

The Committee on Finance Report the following resolution, to wit:

Resolved, That the Committee on Finance shall be authorized, until all instalments on the stock of the Pennsylvania Rail Road Company are fully paid up, to receive all sums due to the City from said Company for interest in the six per cent. loan of the City at par, and that all certificates of loan so received shall be cancelled by the Committee on Finance.

JOHN C. DAVIS, *Chairman*.
JAS. R. GEMMILL,
WILLIAM MORRIS,
JOHN TRUCKS,
CHARLES GILPIN,
WM. G. MENTZ,
ISAAC ELLIOTT.

APPENDIX, No. XXIX.

To the Select and Common Councils:

The Committee on Police, to whom was referred the subject of introducing gas into Girard College—

Respectfully submit :—

That as this subject involves the expenditure of a large sum of money, and is not connected with the usual business confided to them, your Committee respectfully beg leave to recommend the adoption of the resolution annexed.

CHAS. A. POULSON, *Chairman.*
A. G. WATERMAN,
WILLIAM MORRIS,
FREDK. LENNIG,
ROBERT HUTCHINSON,
JOHN TRUCKS,

Committee room, }
Feb. 5th, 1849. }

Committee on Police.

Resolved, That the Committee on Police be discharged from the consideration of the subject of introducing gas into Girard College, and that this subject be referred to the Commissioners of Girard Estates.

APPENDIX, No. XXX.

To the Select and Common Councils:

The Committee on Police, to whom was referred the memorial of *eighty-nine* members of the Night Police, asking for an increase of pay of said department—

Respectfully submit :—

That in their opinion it is inexpedient, at this time, to grant the request of said memorialists; and further recommend the adoption by Councils of the resolution annexed.

CHAS. A. POULSON, *Chairman.*
A. G. WATERMAN,
WILLIAM MORRIS,
FREDK. LENNIG,
ROBERT HUTCHINSON,
JOHN TRUCKS,

Committee room, }
Feb. 5th, 1849. }

Committee on Police.

Resolved, That the Committee be discharged from the further consideration of this subject.

APPENDIX, No. XXXI.

To the Select and Common Councils :

The Committee on Public Highways, to whom was referred a petition of Citizens asking that the name of Blackberry Alley may be changed to Duponceau street; and also a petition that the name of Elizabeth street may be changed to Barclay street, and that the name of Portland lane may be changed to Bay street; and also a petition that the name of "Little George street" may be changed to Sansom street, report a bill annexed, to change the names of the several streets and alleys as prayed for; and recommend its passage.

Respectfully submitted,

SAUN. LEWIS, *Chairman.*

JESSE GODLEY,

JAS. J. BOSWELL,

J. E. HAGERT,

J. R. TYSON.

Philadelphia, March 1, 1849.

An Ordinance

To Change the Names of certain Streets.

SECTION 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia in Select and Common Councils assembled*, That the street extending from Delaware Sixth to Seventh street, between Chestnut and Walnut street, heretofore known by the name of Little George street, shall be hereafter named and called Sansom street.

That the street extending from Delaware Sixth to Eighth street, between Spruce and Pine street, heretofore known by the name of Elizabeth street, shall be hereafter named and called Barclay street.

That the street extending from Delaware Sixth to Seventh street, between Spruce and Pine street, heretofore known by the name of Portland lane, shall hereafter be named and called Bay street.

That the street extending from Walnut to Spruce street between Eighth and Ninth street, heretofore known by the name of Blackberry alley, shall be hereafter named and called Duponceau street.

APPENDIX, No. XXXII.

To the Select and Common Councils:

The Committee on Finance respectfully

REPORT—

That they have had under consideration the Annual Report of the Trustees of the Philadelphia Gas Works, for the year 1848.

The Committee have not thought that Councils intended their attention to be directed to any other part of the Report than that, asking leave to contract a new Loan of \$100,000, for certain specified extensions of the Works. The Committee are of opinion that in order to meet the present and daily increasing demand of customers of gas, the proposed loan should be granted, and the designed extension of the Works immediately made. Besides, the prosecution of the whole proposed extension at the same time will be the most economical mode of effecting the object, as it is believed that the difference in cost between making the whole extension this year, or in this and the next year, will be \$10,000.

The Committee beg leave to submit an estimate of the Trustees, together with the annexed bill.

JOHN C. DAVIS, *Chairman*,
CHARLES GILPIN,
ISAAC ELLIOTT,
JOHN TRUCKS,
WM. G. MENTZ,
WILLIAM MORRIS,
B. GERHARD.

Philadelphia, March 15, 1849.

OFFICE PHILADELPHIA GAS WORKS,
March 15, 1849.

DEAR SIR—Agreeably to your request, I send the following estimate, of the size and quantity of the iron mains, that are deemed necessary for giving such a supply and pressure of Gas throughout the City, as will be generally satisfactory.

12,000 feet of 16 inch in Mulberry and Ashton streets, with branches, drips, &c., - -	\$36,000
2,000 feet of 8 inch in Vine and Cedar streets, -	30,000
2,000 feet of 20 inch in Ashton street, to connect mains, - - - - -	8,000
15,000 feet of 6 inch to connect the cross streets with large mains, - - - - -	15,000
4,000 feet of 10 inch, for do. do., - - - - -	7,000
Making new outlets at the Works to correspond with the large mains with governor valves, &c.,	3,000
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Total,	\$99,000
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Say one hundred thousand dollars.

The above estimate of cost, is based upon the present prices of iron; but as they are advancing, the cost may be increased by delay. As the season for executing such work is now at hand, considerable embarrassment in making contracts on reasonable terms, will be experienced a few weeks later.

The Trustees consider these additional mains, to be absolutely necessary, for affording such a supply of Gas to the customers of the Works, as ought to be furnished, and they are, in a great measure, independent of the distributing pipes contemplated to be laid out of the annual appropriation from the profits. The application for the extension of the lines of small mains, and the supply of service pipes and meters to the customers who are daily coming in, will absorb nearly the whole of that annual appropriation, and increase the difficulties now experienced, from a deficiency of supply and pressure in the depressed points of the City.

If the appropriation should be made this evening, the whole of the large mains can be obtained, and the principal difficulties be overcome before the heavy autumn demand commences.

Yours very respectfully,

F. FRALEY, *President.*

JOHN C. DAVIS, Esq.,

Chairman Finance Committee.

A Further Supplement

To an Ordinance, entitled "An Ordinance for the construction and management of the Philadelphia Gas Works."

SECT. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia in Select and Common Councils assembled,* That for the purpose of enabling the Trustees of the Philadelphia Gas Works to purchase such additional iron mains of sufficient size to distribute the Gas supplied from said Works to all parts of the City in adequate quantities, and with proper pressure, and to make the needful connections with the Works, the Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and required to borrow on the faith of the City, whenever the said Trustees may request the same, such sum of money, not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars in the whole, as may be needed for the purposes aforesaid.

SECT. 2. That the Certificates to be issued to the lenders of the money so borrowed, shall bear an interest not exceeding six per centum per annum, payable half yearly, on the first day of January and July, and be redeemable on the first day of January, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine: and be in like form, and transferable in like manner, with the certificates of the other loans authorized for the purpose of said Gas Works.

SECT. 3. That the said Trustees shall set apart out of the profits of the said Gas Works, the sum of ten per centum per annum on the amount borrowed by virtue of this Ordinance, for the purpose of paying the interest thereon: and such part of the said ten per cent. per annum as may not be required for the purpose of paying said interest, and the accumulations thereof, shall be invested in the same manner and for the same purposes as the other appropriations to the Sinking Fund of the said Gas Works are now directed to be invested, accumulated, and applied.

APPENDIX, No. XXXIII.

To the Select and Common Councils:

The Committee on Police, to whom was referred the memorial of High Constables Walker, Curran, Winnemore, and Moore, asking an increase of their several salaries, to six hundred dollars per annum,

Respectfully submit:—

That the request of said memorialists is entitled to a favorable determination by Councils, from consideration of the personal qualifications, and the requirements of duty, implied, enjoined and performed; moreover it seems to your Committee both reasonable and just that these officers, having the special supervision of the police throughout the city during the day time, they should be paid a compensation at least equal to that received by the several captains of the night police—whose duties are not more extensive or responsible, and whose personal expenses must obviously be less.

Your Committee therefore, further respectfully submit, the annexed draft of an Ordinance.

CHAS. A. POULSON, *Chairman*.
A. G. WATERMAN,
ROBERT HUTCHINSON,
JACOB B. LANCASTER,
FREDK. LENNIG,
JOHN P. WETHERILL

Committee room, }
March 5th, 1849. }

A Further Supplement

To an Ordinance, entitled “An Ordinance to establish a Day and Night Police, and to provide for the lighting of the public lamps in the City of Philadelphia,” passed on the 16th of March, 1848.

SECTION 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia in Select and Common Councils assembled,* That from and after the first day of March, A. D. 1849, the pay of the High Constables shall be six hundred dollars per annum, payable monthly as heretofore, any ordinance to the contrary notwithstanding.

APPENDIX, No. XXXIV.

To the Common Council of the City of Philadelphia :

The Committee appointed at the last meeting of Councils to confer with a Committee appointed by the Select Council for the purpose of effecting a union of sentiment on the subject of the amendments by Select Council to the Bill passed by Common Council, entitled a Bill for constructing a Culvert in Walnut street,

REPORT—

That they have conferred with said Committee of Select Council, and that they have been unable to effect a union of sentiment on the subject.

Respectfully submitted,

SAUN. LEWIS, *Chairman*
JESSE GODLEY,
JACOB AMOS.

March 15, 1849.

APPENDIX, No. XXXV.

To the Select and Common Councils :

The Committee of Visitation of the Girard College for Orphans, appointed for the months of February and March,

REPORT—

That in conformity to the Ordinance of November 9th, 1848, they visited the College once in each month, and was pleased with the order and cleanliness of the Institution. The several departments appeared to be conducted with a proper regard to the directions of the Founder. They inspected the accounts and minute books of the Directors,—the accurate manner in which they are kept is highly creditable.

The arduous duty of supplying the buildings with suitable furniture, books, and all things needful to carry the general design of the munificent Testator into execution, has been performed by the Directors in a very liberal manner. This benevolent Institution is now in active operation, with two

hundred and eight Orphans enjoying its advantages, and your Committee indulge the hope, that with a proper regard to economy in the expenditures, the cherished hopes of the Testator and the public may be realized.

GEO. R. FISHER,
 JOS. M. THOMAS,
 JAS. J. BOSWELL,
 J. E. HAGERT,
 ISAAC ELLIOTT.

Philadelphia, March 29, 1849.

APPENDIX, No. XXXVI.

To the Select and Common Councils:

The Committee on Police, to whom was referred the memorial of occupants of stalls in the Second Street Market House,

Respectfully Report:—

That, inasmuch as this memorial seems to involve questions of revenue, and expediency connected with the public markets, your Committee are of opinion that it is peculiarly within the cognizance of the Committee on City Property, to whom it is asked the same shall be referred, in the resolution annexed.

CHAS. A. POULSON, *Chairman.*
 ROBERT HUTCHINSON,
 JOHN TRUCKS,
 W. MORRIS,
 FREDK. LENNIG,
 J. B. LANCASTER,
 A. G. WATERMAN,

Committee on Police.

Committee room, }
 Mar. 19th, 1849. }

Resolved, That the memorial of occupants of stalls in the Second Street Market House, complaining of the occupancy of the sidewalks by persons who pay no rent, be referred to the Committee on City Property, and the Committee on Police be discharged from the further consideration of the same.

APPENDIX, No. XXXVII.

To the Select and Common Councils :—

The Committee on Police, to whom was given the following instructions, viz :

“ *Resolved*, That the Committee on Police be requested to examine into, and report, whether the number of policemen attached to the Mayor’s office may not be reduced without injury to the public interests,”

Respectfully beg leave to state :—

That, in obedience to requirement of said resolution, they have carefully investigated the subject committed, and in the course of the inquiry have examined the report of Committee on Police, which originated the system. It appears from this document, dated December 9th, 1841, that their attention was “very soon after their organization directed to a more perfect and useful arrangement and employment of the police of the city;” and “desirous to avail themselves of all the means within their reach, promising to aid them in the attainment of these important objects, the Committee requested the co-operation of the Mayor, [John M. Scott,] who united with them, and to his knowledge of the practical operations of the [then] present system, and the changes by which existing deficiencies may be remedied, and increased strength and activity given to the entire department, the Committee are much indebted for the plan” which they submitted, and which, after being modified, was enacted by Councils into an ordinance on the 23d day of December, 1841.

The portion of this ordinance to which the inquiries of your Committee have been particularly directed, creates and establishes a department of police for the *more effectual prevention and detection of crimes*, and which department shall be *especially and particularly devoted to those purposes* ; and provides for the appointment of *peculiar officers*, viz : a Lieutenant of Police, a Second Lieutenant of Police, and a Special Constable, aided by the Clerk of Police. The Lieutenant of Police shall be the head of this department, and shall be chiefly responsible for its fidelity and efficiency in carrying out the purposes of its creation. The Second

Lieutenant of Police shall co-operate with him and submit to his direction, and in his absence shall fill his place as head of the department. The Special Constable shall obey all the lawful orders of either the Lieutenant or Second Lieutenant of Police; and *all* shall be in subordination to the Mayor. It is also enacted, that the operations of this department, whenever occasion shall require, shall receive aid from the various officers of the other branches of the police of the city, in such manner, by such assignment of officers, and under such rules, temporary or permanent, as the Mayor may from time to time direct, &c.

During a lapse of more than seven years, experience and observation have devised or suggested no alteration in this branch of our police system—except to increase its strength commensurate with the increase of business in the Mayor's office by the appointment of a *second* special constable. Meantime it has been found necessary to modify almost every other part of the same system, whilst this, the nucleus, remains essentially as it was originally enacted, and has since been found altogether adequate to the purposes it was designed to effect by the enlightened policy and forethought of its framers. The salutary operations of its provisions are sufficiently apparent: thus—while the several branches of the Night, and of the Day police, are alternately employed in their rounds of duty, guarding against infractions of law, or detecting its violators, *within their prescribed beats, or stations*, throughout the city—the policemen attached to the Mayor's office, are required to be at all times prepared and ready to meet exigencies wheresoever they may occur. Hence these officers are indeed the immediate *right-hand agents* of the Mayor, who, deprived of their services, would be prevented affording that prompt and effectual assistance needful to answer the multifarious and oftentimes sudden calls or emergencies that happen throughout the day, as well as night time.

It is evident, therefore, to your Committee, if any defect appears to be connected with this branch of the police, it ought to be ascribed to delinquency in the ministration of the provisions of the ordinance, and not to its intrinsic deficiencies.

Your Committee hence are of opinion, that it is inexpedient to reduce the number of policemen, [five] referred to; and they are further of opinion, that the vacancy in the office of lieutenant of police, should be forthwith filled in order to preserve and maintain efficiency in this important branch of our police system.

Your Committee further beg leave to submit the resolution annexed, and respectfully ask the adoption of the same by Councils.

CHAS. A. POULSON, *Chairman.*
JOHN TRUCKS,
FREDK. LENNIG,
J. B. LANCASTER,
A. G. WATERMAN,
ROBERT HUTCHINSON,

Committee room, }
March 19th, 1849. }

Committee on Police.

Resolved, That the Committee be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

APPENDIX, No. XXXVIII.

The Committee on Public Highways beg leave to

REPORT—

That they have had under consideration the propriety of causing an increased Tax or License, to be laid on "Omnibuses," and passed a resolution instructing the Chairman to submit to Councils the annexed Ordinance, and recommend the passage thereof.

Very respectfully,

JESSE GODLEY, *Chm. pro tem.*
A. W. THOMPSON,
JAS. J. BOSWELL,
J. E. HAGERT,
ALGN. S. ROBERTS,
JACOB AMOS.

A Further Supplement

To an Ordinance, entitled "An Ordinance for the regulation of Cabs and Omnibuses," passed the 1st April, 1841.

SECT. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the citizens of Philadelphia, in Select and Common Councils assembled,* That between the first and tenth day of April, 1849, and

annually thereafter between the said days, the owner or owners of any Omnibus employed within the City of Philadelphia in the transporting or conveyance of persons for hire or pay, shall pay to the City Clerk for the use of the Corporation of the City of Philadelphia, the sum of Ten Dollars for each Omnibus so employed by him or them, for the certificates mentioned in the 12th and 13th sections of the Ordinance to which this is a Supplement, in lieu of the sums directed in said sections, to be paid by him or them for said certificates.

SECT. 2. That the owner or owners of any Omnibus employed as aforesaid, who shall neglect or refuse to comply with the provisions of the first section of this Ordinance, and the driver or drivers thereof, shall be subject to a penalty of Fifteen Dollars, to be sued for and recovered in the same manner as penalties for the violation of Ordinances are by law recoverable.

SECT. 3. So much of the Ordinance to which this is a Supplement as is inconsistent herewith be and the same is hereby repealed.

APPENDIX, No. XXXIX.

To the Select and Common Councils:

The Committee on Public Highways, to whom was referred the communication of Samuel Hains, Principal City Surveyor, tendering his resignation of that office, to take effect upon the appointment by Councils of a successor,

Respectfully report the following resolution, and ask its adoption.

Resolved, That Councils at their next stated meeting do proceed to the election of a Principal City Surveyor in the place of Samuel Hains.

SAUN. LEWIS, *Chairman.*
JESSE GODLEY,
ALGN. S. ROBERTS,
J. E. HAGERT,
A. W. THOMPSON,
JACOB AMOS.

Phila., April 12, 1849.

APPENDIX, No. XL.

To the Select and Common Councils :

The Committee on Police having had under consideration the application of Alfred J. Heston, a night policeman, asking for pecuniary relief,

Respectfully represent :—

That while in the discharge of duty in assisting to suppress a riot, which occurred at a public house, corner of Chestnut and Beach streets, on the morning of the 2d of February, Mr. Heston received a very severe injury from a stab in the right breast ;—since which time he has been confined to his house, unable to attend to his duties or maintain himself or family. Your Committee are of opinion that his case is distressing, and peculiarly deserving of the attention and assistance of Councils, and therefore recommend the adoption of the resolution annexed.

CHAS. A. POULSON, *Chairman.*

FREDK. LENNIG,

WILLIAM MORRIS,

ROBERT HUTCHINSON,

JOHN TRUCKS,

A. G. WATERMAN.

Committee room, }
April 2d, 1849. }

Resolved, That the Committee on Police be authorized and directed to pay to Alfred J. Heston, a night policeman, the sum of one hundred dollars, in consideration of injuries received by him while in the service of the city ; to be paid out of the appropriation to said Committee for miscellaneous expenses.

APPENDIX, No. XLI.

To the Select and Common Councils :

The Committee on Public Highways report an Ordinance relating to the pebble pavement of Delaware Avenue, and also an Ordinance in relation to the alteration of the regula-

tion of ascents and descents on the east side of Dock street south from Walnut street, and recommend their passage.

Respectfully submitted,

SAUN. LEWIS, *Chairman.*
ALGN. S. ROBERTS,
JESSE GODLEY,
J. E. HAGERT,
A. W. THOMPSON,
JACOB AMOS.

April 12, 1849.

An Ordinance

Making an appropriation to the Committee on Public Highways for the purpose of repairing the pebble pavement of Delaware Avenue.

SECTION 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia in Select and Common Councils assembled,* That the sum of three thousand dollars out of the income of the fund appropriated under the twenty-second item of the Will of Stephen Girard, for the improvement of the eastern front of the City and Delaware Avenue, be appropriated to the Committee on Public Highways for the purpose of repairing the pebble pavement of Delaware Avenue: said appropriation to be paid in the manner that appropriations for Delaware Avenue are directed to be paid in the several ordinances relating thereto.

An Ordinance

To alter and establish the Regulation of a part of Dock Street.

SECTION 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia, in Select and Common Councils assembled,* That the regulation of ascents and descents on the east side of Dock street, south from Walnut street, shall be, and the same is hereby fixed and established, according to a plan made by M. T. W. Chandler, Assistant City Surveyor and Regulator, dated the 11th April, 1849, and made part of this ordinance: any existing regulation or ordinance to the contrary notwithstanding.

APPENDIX, No. XLII.

To the Select and Common Councils:

The Committee on Police, to whom was referred the communication of Trustees of Gas Works, inclosing a petition from Rosanna Farren, asking for pecuniary assistance in consequence of the sudden death of her husband while in the employment of said Trustees,

Respectfully suggest the adoption of the resolution annexed.

CHAS. A. POULSON, *Chairman.*
JOHN TRUCKS,
ROBERT HUTCHINSON,
A. G. WATERMAN,
FREDK. LENNIG,
W. MORRIS,
J. B. LANCASTER,

Committee room, }
April 16th, 1849. }

Committee on Police.

Resolved, That the Trustees of the Gas Works be, and they are hereby authorized to make such appropriation of money to the use of Rosanna Farren, widow of Michael Farren, who was recently killed while in the service of said Trustees, as they the said Trustees, may deem just and equitable.

APPENDIX, No. XLIII.

To the Select and Common Councils:

The Committee on Police, to whom was referred the memorial of citizens, merchants, and dealers, in Water street; complaining of the grievance they labor under in consequence of private drays and cabs being permitted to stand in said street,

Respectfully Report:—

That sufficient relief has been provided in existing laws, for the annoyances complained of, and your Committee therefore deem further legislation on the subject unnecessary.

They further beg leave to ask the adoption of the resolution annexed.

CHAS. A. POULSON, *Chairman.*

JOHN TRUCKS,

ROBERT HUTCHINSON,

A. G. WATERMAN,

FREDK. LENNIG,

W. MORRIS,

J. B. LANCASTER,

Committee on Police.

Committee room, }
April 16th, 1849. }

Resolved, That the Committee be discharged from further consideration of the subject.

APPENDIX, No. XLIV.

To the Select and Common Councils:

The Committee on Public Highways

REPORT—

The annexed Ordinance relating to Water street, and recommend its passage.

Respectfully submitted,

SAUN. LEWIS, *Chairman.*

ALGN. S. ROBERTS,

J. E. HAGERT,

J. R. TYSON,

JESSE GODLEY,

JACOB AMOS.

Phila., April 26, 1849.

An Ordinance

Relating to Water Street.

SECT. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia, in Select and Common Councils assembled,* That the Committee on Public Highways be, and they are hereby authorized and directed to pay to Thomas Earp, George Earp, George Earp, Jr. and Mary Ann Earp, Executors, and Executrix of the last Will and Testament of Robert Earp, deceased, the sum of six hundred and fifty dollars, which amount they have agreed to accept as compensation for injury done to the property belonging to the estate of the said Robert Earp, situate on the east side of Water street, commencing at the distance of about one hundred and thirty feet $7\frac{1}{4}$ inches from the north side of Sassafras street, and extending in front on said Water street, northward, 32 feet $7\frac{1}{4}$ inches, more or less, by taking a portion thereof from the front on Water street, by the laying out of Water street anew.

SECT. 2. That the sum of six hundred and fifty dollars out of the income of the fund appropriated under the twenty-second item of the Will of Stephen Girard, for the improvement of the eastern front of the City and Delaware Avenue, be appropriated to the expense of carrying into effect this Ordinance, to be paid in the manner that appropriations for Delaware Avenue are directed to be paid, in the several Ordinances relating thereto.

APPENDIX, No. XLV.

To the Select and Common Councils:

The Committee on Public Highways report the following resolutions relating to paving Delaware Third street with cubical blocks, and also for repairing the Railroad in said street, and recommend their passage.

Respectfully submitted,

SAUN. LEWIS, *Chairman.*
ALGN. S. ROBERTS,
J. R. TYSON,
J. GODLEY,
JACOB AMOS.

Philadelphia, April 26, 1849.

1. *Resolved*, That the Committee on Public Highways be instructed to pave Delaware Third street, from Dock street northward, to the north side of Chestnut street with cubical blocks, and that the Committee be authorized to ask proposals for stone for the same.

2. *Resolved*, That the Committee on Public Highways be instructed to relay the Railroad in Delaware Third street, from Dock street northward, to the north side of Chestnut street, with cast or wrought iron rails, and in such manner as they may deem most expedient.

APPENDIX, No. XLVI.

To the Select and Common Councils:—

The Committee on Legacies and Trusts, to whom was referred on the 18th of January last, the petition from the owners and occupants of property in the City, asking, that a few hundred feet of hose may be placed along side or in the vicinity of each fire plug, in those parts of the City composed mostly of stores, factories, and workshops—Report, That they have considered this subject, and are of opinion that it would be inexpedient to grant the prayer of the petitioners, and therefore ask that the following resolution may be adopted.

Resolved, That the Committee on Legacies and Trusts be discharged from the further consideration of this subject.

GEO. R. FISHER,
WM. WATTS,
ISAAC ELLIOTT,
EDWD. A. SOUDER,
J. E. HAGERT,
A. J. DERBYSHIRE,
S. J. CHRISTIAN.

April 26, 1849.

APPENDIX, No. XLVII.

A Further Supplement

To an Ordinance entitled “An Ordinance to provide for the opening of the Girard College for Orphans,” passed Sept. 16, 1847.

Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia in Select and Common Councils assembled, That

so much of the 6th section of an Ordinance, to which this is a Supplement, [entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the opening of the Girard College for Orphans,"] as declares or provides that the officers of said College shall hold their offices during the pleasure of the Directors, be and the same is hereby repealed, and the power and discretion conferred by the said clause upon the said Directors, is hereby declared to be vested in the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

APPENDIX, No. XLVIII.

To the Select and Common Councils :

The Committee on Public Highways, to whom various petitions have been referred, asking for the paving and repaving of certain streets,

REPORT—

That they have made an examination of the said streets, and generally throughout the City, and recommend the adoption of the following resolution.

SAUN. LEWIS, *Chairman.*
JAS. J. BOSWELL,
J. E. HAGERT,
JESSE GODLEY,
JACOB AMOS,
J. R. TYSON.

Phila., May 10, 1849.

• *Resolved*, That the City Commissioners, under the direction of the Committee on Public Highways, be directed to regulate, curb and pave the following streets, viz :—

Summer street between Schuylkill Second and Third streets.

Spring street.

Shallcross street.

Filbert street from Schuylkill Second to Third street.

Schuylkill Second street from Filbert to Mulberry street.

“ Third street from High to Chesnut street.

“ Fourth street from High to Mulberry street.

Rittenhouse Square, south side.

Plymouth street.

Lammon street.

Burton street west from Schuylkill Eighth below Lombard.

Wilcox street.

Locust street from Ashton to Beach street.

Ashton street from Lombard south 75 feet.

Elm street between Schuylkill Third and Fourth, and Pine and Lombard.

And that they be directed to repave the following streets:

Delaware Eighth street, Mulberry to Cherry street.

Oat street from Sassafras to Vine street.

Paper alley from Summit to Broad street.

APPENDIX, No. XLIX.

The Committee on Finance, Report

The annexed Bill fixing the Salary of the Commissioner of City Property, and ask that it be passed.

Respectfully submitted.

JOHN C. DAVIS, *Chairman.*

B. GERHARD,

JAS. R. GEMMILL,

WM. G. MENTZ,

JOHN TRUCKS,

ISAAC ELLIOTT,

WILLIAM MORRIS,

J. E. HAGERT.

May 10, 1849.

An Ordinance

To fix the Salary of the Commissioner of City Property.

SECTION 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia in Select and Common Councils assembled,* That from and after the first day of July, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine, the salary of the Commissioner of City Property shall be twelve hundred dollars per annum, payable quarterly, any ordinance or regulation to the contrary notwithstanding.

APPENDIX, No. L.

To the Select and Common Councils:

The Committee on Public Highways, Report

The annexed Bill for the regulation of Cabs and Omnibuses,
and recommend its passage.

Respectfully submitted.

SAUN. LEWIS, *Chairman.*
JESSE GODLEY,
A. W. THOMPSON,
JACOB AMOS,
J. E. HAGERT,
A. S. ROBERTS.

May 24, 1848.

A Further Supplement

To an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance for the regulation
of Cabs and Omnibuses," passed the 1st April, 1841.

SECT. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of
Philadelphia in Select and Common Councils assembled,*
That the sum to be paid annually by the owner or owners of
any Omnibus employed within the City of Philadelphia, in
the transporting or conveyance of persons for hire or pay,
shall be five dollars, any ordinance to the contrary notwith-
standing.

APPENDIX, No. LI.

To the Select and Common Councils:

The Committee on Public Highways, Report

The annexed Ordinance authorizing the Construction of
certain Culverts, and ask its passage.

Respectfully submitted.

SAUN. LEWIS, *Chairman.*
JESSE GODLEY,
A. W. THOMPSON,
JACOB AMOS,
J. E. HAGERT,
A. S. ROBERTS.

May 24, 1849.

An Ordinance

To authorize the construction of certain Culverts.

SECT. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia in Select and Common Councils assembled,* That the City Commissioners, under the direction of the Committee on Public Highways, cause a culvert to be constructed from the termination of the present culvert in Schuylkill Sixth Street at Spruce Street, northwardly along said Schuylkill Sixth Street to the north side of Locust Street; and to construct a culvert in Schuylkill Fourth Street from the present culvert in Mulberry Street, southwardly along said Schuylkill Fourth Street to the south side of High Street; and to construct a culvert in Mulberry Street from the termination of the present culvert at Front Street, westwardly along said Mulberry Street to Bread Street; and to construct a culvert in Mulberry alley from the present culvert in Delaware Sixth Street, eastwardly along said Mulberry alley to Farr Street; said culverts to be constructed in accordance with a plan prepared by Samuel H. Kneass, Principal City Surveyor and Regulator, dated May 22d, A. D. 1849.

APPENDIX, No. LII.

To the Select and Common Councils:

The Committee on Public Highways, to whom was referred a Petition of the "North American Telegraph Company" asking permission to carry their wires from their office, (which is located on the south side of Chesnut street, west of Delaware Third street,) up along the north side of Chesnut street, thence along Fourth street to High street, and thence along High street and across the Permanent Bridge, and to use the Piers of said Bridge, and to erect Poles along the said route, Respectfully Report:

That Councils have granted on two occasions applications of a similar tenor;—one on the 23d October, 1845, to the Magnetic Telegraph Company, and the other on 23d December, 1847, to the New Jersey Magnetic Telegraph Company under Houses' Patent. That with these precedents before them, the Committee feel justified in reporting favourably on the petition; but with certain modifications and restrictions. It is proper to advert to the character and condi-

tion of the poles now used; most of them, not such as the communications presented to Councils indicated, nor in conformity with the instructions of the Committee on Public Highways, being unsightly, defective in strength, and placed at too great distances apart. While it is believed, that the citizens are willing to submit to some inconvenience for the general good; it is right that they should be protected by wholesome regulations. The Committee have considered a suggestion made to them to grant a new line of Posts along George street, but they deem this course inadvisable.

And offer the following Resolution.

SAUN. LEWIS, *Chairman.*

JESSE GODLEY,

A. W. THOMPSON,

JACOB AMOS,

J. E. HAGERT,

ALGN. S. ROBERTS.

Phila., May 24, 1849.

Resolved, That the North American Telegraph Company be authorized to run their wires across and along the Piers of the Permanent Bridge at High street, thence along the south side of High Street to the west side of Delaware Third street, thence along the west side of Delaware Third street, as far south of Chesnut street as may be necessary for their accommodation; and also to run a line of wires, along the East side of Delaware Third street from Chesnut street to the North side of Vine street. That the Posts shall be dressed smooth, like a spar or mast, painted, and shall be not less than Ten inches in diameter at the base, and not less than Five inches in diameter at the top; they shall be not less than twenty-five feet high, and as nearly as practicable, be placed one hundred and fifty feet apart. That the Poles now placed on the said routes, so far as they shall conform to the foregoing directions, shall be for the joint use of the Companies now using them, and the said North American Telegraph Company; and so far as they shall not comply with the foregoing regulations, new Posts shall be placed by the said North American Telegraph Company, for the joint use of themselves and of the aforesaid Companies. The said Posts to be so arranged as to conform throughout, as nearly as practicable, to the foregoing regulations. Provided always, That the Councils reserve the right to alter, amend, or rescind this resolution, and the license hereby granted, as the interests of the City may require.

APPENDIX, No. LIII.

The Committee on Public Highways, Report the annexed resolution, and ask its passage.

Respectfully submitted.

SAUN. LEWIS, *Chairman.*
 JESSE GODLEY,
 A. W. THOMPSON,
 JAS. J. BOSWELL,
 J. E. HAGERT.

June 7, 1849.

Resolved, That the City Commissioners be directed to notify the owners of property thereon to pave and curb the following private alleys and courts, viz:

Wiley's court, running south from Castle street, below Eleventh street.

Alley running east from Delaware Sixth street, between Lombard and Pine.

Alley running west from No. 66 south Delaware Fifth st.

Bird's court, south of Locust and west of Tenth street.

Alley running from Schuylkill Third to Fourth street, south of George street.

Brooks' court, runs west from Delaware Front street, north of Sassafras street

Pemberton alley, runs south from Vine street, between Delaware Second and Third.

Randolph court, runs west from Delaware Second street, north of Sassafras street.

Alley into property No. 69 north side of Sassafras street, between Delaware Second and Third streets.

Branner's alley, west from Delaware Fifth street, running from Vine to Mulberry alley.

Pennsylvania avenue, running from Vine to Mulberry alley, west from Delaware Fifth street.

Clawges' court, adjoining or next west of Pennsylvania avenue, running north from Mulberry alley.

Mayland street, between Delaware Fifth and Sixth, and Mulberry alley and Sassafras street.

Starr alley, between Delaware Fifth and Sixth, and between Sassafras street and Cresson's alley.

Raspberry alley, between Delaware Eighth and Ninth, and between Cherry and Sassafras streets.

Mechanics street, between Chester and Ninth and Maple and Vine streets.

Elder street, running north from Castle street, between Tenth and Eleventh streets.

Walnut alley, between Sassafras and Cherry, and between Juniper and Thirteenth streets.

White Horse alley, or Brown street, between Cherry street and Walnut alley, and between Juniper and Thirteenth streets.

APPENDIX, No. LIV.

A Supplement

To An Ordinance entitled An Ordinance to provide for the opening of the Girard College for Orphans and to fix the salary of the President of the College.

SECT. 1. "That from and after the passage hereof, the election of President of the Girard College for Orphans by the Directors thereof shall not be considered to be made until Councils shall in joint meeting, approve of the choice made by said Directors; and it shall be the duty of the said Directors, immediately after making choice of a President of said College, to report the name of the individual so chosen to the Select and Common Councils, and said Councils shall, at their next stated meeting thereafter, in joint meeting, by ballot, approve of or dissent from such choice; and if said Councils approve of such choice, the individual so chosen as aforesaid shall be the President of said College; and if said Councils dissent thereto, the Clerks of Councils shall notify the fact of such dissent to the said Directors, who shall immediately proceed to the choice of another person for said office.

SECT. 2. That from and after the passage of this ordinance the Salary of the President of the Girard College shall be \$2,500 per annum, payable quarterly, any ordinance to the contrary notwithstanding.

The Committee on conference reports the bill with amendments.

B. GERHARD,
CHAS. A. POULSON,
JOHN C. DAVIS.

APPENDIX, No. LV.

To the Select and Common Councils:

The Committee on Police, to whom was referred the application of owners and occupiers of property in the western section of the City, asking that "the bell of the Good Will Engine Company be rung by the members on the occasion of fire,"

Respectfully submit—

That the proposition of the memorialists could not be granted consistently with existing law.

The act of Assembly, passed March 7th, 1848,—says, "No Fire Company now founded or hereafter to be founded, within the city or incorporated districts, shall *erect* or *use* any stationary alarm bell; the said city and incorporated districts shall each procure, and have at least one large bell to be rung in time of fire, by a person duly appointed by the respective corporations of said city and districts."

Your Committee therefore respectfully further suggest the adoption of the resolution annexed.

CHAS. A. POULSON, *Chairman.*

FREDK. LENNIG,

JOHN TRUCKS,

A. G. WATERMAN,

JOHN P. WETHERILL,

J. B. LANCASTER.

Committee room, }
June 18th, 1849. }

Committee on Police.

Resolved, That the committee be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

APPENDIX, No. LVI.

To the Select and Common Councils:

The Committee on Police, to whom was referred the petition of citizens asking for the removal of horses which are tied to, and fed from vehicles belonging to persons bringing and selling their produce in the Second street market,

Respectfully Report—

The annexed draft of an ordinance modifying the ordinance in relation thereto.

CHAS. A. POULSON, *Chairman*.
FREDK. LENNIG,
JOHN TRUCKS,
A. G. WATERMAN,
JOHN P. WETHERILL,
J. B. LANCASTER,

Committee Room, }
June 18th, 1849. }

Committee on Police.

A Supplement

To an Ordinance, passed on the 31st December, 1835, entitled
“A further Ordinance relating to Second street Market place.”

SECT. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia in Select and Common Councils assembled,* That it shall not be lawful for the owner or person having charge of any empty vehicle, which has been employed to bring any article to market, to suffer any horse to remain with such vehicle at any of the stations assigned therefor, under a penalty of two dollars for each offence, to be recovered in the same manner as penalties for violation of ordinances are by law recoverable.

SECT. 2. *Be it further ordained and enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That so much of the Ordinance to which this is a Supplement, as is inconsistent herewith, be and the same is hereby repealed.

APPENDIX, No. LVII.

To the Select and Common Councils:

The Committee on Police, to whom was referred the memorial of a number of citizens asking for an appropriation of money to defray the expense of a public exhibition of fire works on the ensuing fourth of July,

Respectfully submit,

That at this time it is deemed inexpedient to grant the re-

quest of your memorialists, and therefore further submit the resolution annexed.

CHAS. A. POULSON, *Chairman.*

FREDK. LENNIG,

WILLIAM MORRIS,

A. G. WATERMAN,

JOHN TRUCKS,

JOHN P. WETHERILL,

Committee Room, }
June 18th, 1849. }

Committee on Police.

Resolved, That the Committee be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

APPENDIX, No. LVIII.

To the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

The Committee on the Library, beg leave to Report,

That the Hon. George M. Dallas, late Vice President of the United States, has presented to the City Corporation, for the library, several valuable public documents relating to the various important movements of the Federal Government, during the last four years. These works have been placed upon the shelves of the library, and a catalogue of their titles accompanies this Report.

For these acceptable State-papers, Mr. Dallas is entitled to the thanks of Councils, which the Committee propose to tender him in the subjoined resolution.

BENJ. ORNE, *Chairman.*

J. R. TYSON,

A. G. WATERMAN,

A. W. THOMPSON.

Philada., June 21, 1849.

Resolved, That the thanks of the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, are due and are hereby presented to the *Hon. George M. Dallas*, late Vice President of the United States, for his acceptable donation of important State-papers and public documents to the City Library.

Resolved, That the Clerks of Councils be requested to convey to Mr. Dallas, a copy of the foregoing resolution.

Catalogue of Books referred to in the foregoing Report.

1. Notes of a Military Reconnoissance from Fort Leavenworth in Missouri to San Diego in California, including parts of Arkansas, Del Norte and Gila Rivers. (30th Congress, 1 Sess., Wash. 1848.)

2. Large Map of this Reconnoissance. (Separate.)

3. Annual Report of the Commission of Patents for the year 1847. (30th Congress, 1 Sess. Wash., 1848.)

4. Message from the Prest. U. S. (with accompanying Documents) at the commencement of the first Session of the 30th Congress. (Washington, 1848.)

5. Treaty between the United States and Mexico, the proceedings of the Senate, the Message of the Prest., Correspondence with Mr. Trist, &c. (30th Congress, 1 Sess., June 2, 1848.)

6. Report of the Secretary of War in the case of Major J. W. Ripley, Superintendent of the Armory at Springfield. (29 Congress, 1 Sess.)

7. Letter from the Secretary of the Treasury U. S. Dec. 11, 1848.

8. Mr. Breese's Report in Senate U. S. to authorize the draining of the *Everglades* in the State of Florida, by said State. (August 12, 1848.)

APPENDIX, No. LIX.

To the Select and Common Councils:

The Committee on Public Highways, Respectfully Report
The accompanying Ordinance to establish the Regulation of Delaware Avenue and the Wharves to the eastward thereof, between High and Sassafras streets, and recommend its passage.

Respectfully submitted.

SAUN. LEWIS, *Chairman.*

JESSE GODLEY,

JACOB AMOS,

A. W. THOMPSON,

J. E. HAGERT,

J. R. TYSON,

ALGN. S. ROBERTS.

June 21, 1849.

An Ordinance

To establish the regulation of Delaware Avenue and the Wharves to the eastward thereof, between High and Sassafras street.

SECT. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia, in Select and Common Councils assembled,* That the regulation of ascents, descents, and water courses of Delaware Avenue and the wharves eastward thereof, between High and Sassafras street, shall be and the same are hereby fixed and established as marked and set forth on the plan hereto annexed, made by Samuel H. Kneass, Principal City Surveyor and Regulator, dated the 13th June, A. D., 1849, and which plan is made part of this Ordinance.

APPENDIX, No. LX.

To the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

The Committee on the Library beg leave to Report:—

That Mr. Vattermere, the Agent of Paris, for international exchanges of books, charts, plates, &c., has presented to the Corporation of Philadelphia, a considerable number of useful books and prints, a catalogue of which is appended to this Report. Some of them are in Royal folio, executed on fine paper, and in the best style of typography. One of them is a history, statistical and architectural, of the *Hotel de Ville*, illustrated by rich engravings. All of these books are in the French language.

Among these works, are several which treat of subjects connected with the administration of municipal affairs, and deserve a place in our collection. Others are purely scientific, and some are treatises on medical subjects. Those not relating to civic concerns, though given to the City, are intended by the donor to be placed with some appropriate institution. Their disposal is submitted to the Corporation, as a matter of pure discretion. The design is to effect a reciprocity of benefits by mutual exchanges of books, charts, and engravings on all subjects, but the character of his mission prevents Mr.

Vattemere, as the agent specially appointed by the City of Paris, from corresponding with other than municipal or public bodies.

In presenting these books to the City of Philadelphia, the agent aims at a more extensive result than such an interchange as this Corporation is of itself able to accomplish. The object is to induce learned institutions as well as private persons to exchange such works as they can spare in return for such as he can furnish. He hopes to receive duplicate copies of our municipal publications, but these are all he expects from a City legislature. Our instrumentality is desired as the medium through which exchanges may be effected with private persons and the learned institutions of Philadelphia. It is only just however, that we should incur, at a future day, our portion of an expense which these exchanges devolve, as the citizens of Philadelphia will participate in the widespread benefits they confer.

The Corporation of Philadelphia, is therefore approached as a *means* or *medium* by which a commerce of intellectual exchanges may be brought about between the cultivated mind of France and Europe, and the cultivated mind of our own community. The City of Paris, as the agent for international exchanges with the rest of Europe, is able to give us all that is valuable in science, in literature, and in art, or in legislation. For these rich treasures, our own works are asked in return. The opportunity is presented by diffusing these works abroad, to make known to France and the old world, the mental activity of our people, and the theory and working of our institutions. On these subjects the greater part of Europe is profoundly ignorant, and the policy of a portion of the European press being to shut out from their people the means of just or favorable appreciation, a powerful corrective may be supplied through the agency of such exchanges. The works sent abroad under the auspices which direct the movements of Mr. Vattemere, have the best chance of becoming known to the leading men of Europe in all the departments of mind; to those who mould the characters and govern the sentiments of the masses around them.

Entertaining these views, the Committee believe that Councils would be only discharging a duty which they owe to this community to invite societies, corporations and private persons to co-operate in the design and aid it by every means in their power. For this purpose the Committee suggest that the library room be selected as a place for the deposit of all

such books, charts, or otherwise as may be intended by our citizens and learned societies for Mr. Vattermere, and that the exchanges be conducted under the direction of this Committee.

They subjoin resolutions to this effect.

J. R. TYSON. *Chm. pro tem.*

BENJ. ORNE,

A. W. THOMPSON,

A. G. WATERMAN.

Resolved, That the thanks of the Select and Common Councils of Philadelphia be presented to Alexander Vattermere, the agent of the City of Paris for international exchanges, for his acceptable donation of books and plates; and that the Committee on the Library be authorized to furnish him with a bound copy of the minutes of the Corporation from 1704 to 1776, of the minutes of the Committee of Citizens of 1793, of the Journals of Councils, of the Digest of Ordinances, and a duplicate copy of any other printed matter which may be in the collection, or in charge of the Committee.

Resolved, That the Committee on the Library be authorized to send any books presented to the City of Philadelphia, by the agent of the City of Paris, which are not wanted for municipal purposes, to such appropriate institutions as they may select; and the said committee are hereby authorized to make known through the press, that they will receive and superintend the delivery to Alexander Vattermere of any American books, charts or plates which any portion of the Philadelphia public may desire to exchange for printed works of European origin.

APPENDIX, No. LXI.

An Ordinance

For the Suppression of Nuisances.

SECT. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia, in Select and Common Councils assembled*, That it shall not be lawful for any person to sprinkle or wet with water any portion of the pebble pavement of any of the streets, lanes, courts or alleys within the City, after the hour of 9 o'clock in the morning, or before the hour of 4 o'clock in the afternoon. But that it shall not be lawful at any time to sprinkle any of the said streets, lanes or alleys from water accumulated in, or running in any of the gutters thereof.

APPENDIX, No. LXII.

To the Select and Common Councils :

The Committee on Public Highways, Report :

That they were directed by a "Resolution of Councils of the 15th of March last, to cause a Topographical Survey to be made of the region of Dock street, with a view to ascertain the best system of Drainage; the cause of occasional overflows of water to the cellars on that street, and the effect, if any, of the tides from the Delaware river, and of the present culvert; also whether a tight and strong culvert in Dock street would be sufficient for the district drained by Dock street, with the cost thereof, and how far the evil complained of may be remedied by a culvert down Walnut street from the point of Dock street; together with the best mode of constructing the same so as to do the least possible injury to the wharves and shipping, with an estimate of the cost of such construction."

That they appointed to make the inquiries and estimates set forth in said resolution, John C. Cresson, Solomon W. Roberts, and Philip M. Price, Esqs. who, on the 13th of June 1849, made the annexed report to your Committee, recommending the construction of a Sewer down Walnut street.

The Committee report the annexed Bill for the consideration of Councils, and ask Councils to pass the same into an ordinance.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

A. W. THOMPSON,
JACOB AMOS,
ALGN. S. ROBERTS,
JESSE GODLEY,
J. E. HAGERT.

Philada., July 5th, 1849.

To the Committee on Public Highways of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN :—

The undersigned, Commissioners appointed under the resolution of Councils, passed on 15th of March last, directing "that a topographical survey should be made by three persons "who shall explore the region of Dock street, with a view to "ascertain the best system of drainage; the cause of the occa-

“sional overflows of water to the cellars on that street, and the
“effect, if any, of the tides from the Delaware river, and of the
“present culvert;—also, whether a tight and strong culvert in
“Dock street would be sufficient for the district drained by
“Dock street, with the cost thereof, and how far the evil com-
“plained of, may be remedied by a culvert down Walnut from
“the point of Dock street, together with the best mode of con-
“structing the same, so as to do the least possible injury to the
“wharves and shipping, with an estimate of the cost of such
“construction,” have the honor to present the following

REPORT.

On the 22d of March, a few days after receiving the notification of their appointment, they held a preliminary meeting at the office of the City Surveyor, and continued to meet from time to time, as frequently as their other engagements allowed. After organizing by the appointment of one of their number as Chairman, they proceeded at once to the examination and consideration of various documents and maps which it was understood had been referred to them. These consisted chiefly of petitions and remonstrances, presenting the views and arguments of the advocates, and the opponents of the different schemes for the relief of Dock street, which have engaged the attention of Councils.

They subsequently explored the region of Dock street, examining several of the cellars, and hearing the statements of the occupants of the premises, and visited the wharves and docks in the vicinity of the outlets of the sewers both in the city and adjoining districts, north and south; at several points soundings were made and information was sought and obtained from persons who have been some time familiar with the localities.

An exploration of the Dock street sewer by entering the outlet at the river, was attempted, but was frustrated by the dilapidated condition of a portion of the culvert in the wharf, the top logs of which have become so much depressed, as to touch the surface of low water. An examination of part of the sewer west of Front street, was subsequently made by Mr. Chandler, the Assistant City Surveyor, who kindly volunteered to perform the unpleasant duty, and succeeded in accomplishing it by entering at an opening in the vicinity of the Tobacco warehouse. A report by Mr. Haines, late City Surveyor, to a Committee of Councils last year, a copy of which has been placed in our hands, furnishes an estimate of the extent of sewerage emptying into that of Dock street, and

a statement furnished by Mr. Kneass, the present City Surveyor, makes known the area of surface drained into this channel.

The form, dimensions, and structure of the sewer in Dock street, have been derived from a report by Mr. Haines, of an examination made in 1843, by one of the City Commissioners and the City Carpenter. The grade lines of this sewer and of the several points of the surface desirable to be known, have been ascertained by consulting the sectional sketches of them found in the Surveyor's office. As all the facts supposed to be relevant to the subject were found to be derivable from the several sources above enumerated, it was not deemed necessary to make an instrumental topographical survey, and none has been attempted. Upon collating the facts derived from these sources, and duly considering the whole subject, it is believed that the following brief summary presents most, if not all, of the important points in their proper connection.

The sewer in Dock street is composed of several sections constructed at different periods, of various materials; some of stone and brick, and others of timber; some of circular section, some semi-circular or D shaped, others rectangular. The area of cross section at the largest part being 140 square feet, and at the smallest about 45 square feet, with portions of intermediate sizes, averaging 60 square feet; the smallest are discovered being within 100 feet of the outlet at the river. This irregular structure has been located in a soil that is of marshy and unstable character, replete with land springs, which have their outlet through the sewer.

Its imperfections are obvious; but the practicability of remedying them without encountering a very great, and at present indeterminable expenditure, is by no means so evident.

The depth of the bottom of the sewer below the street pavement, could not be ascertained by actual measurement, but is believed to vary from 12 to 15 feet: the floors of the cellars examined were represented to be so nearly level with the top of the sewer, as to be completely drained at all stages of the tide when no rain was falling; which statement is corroborated by an examination of the grades of the sewer and the street, given in the profile made by the late City Surveyor. From the report of Mr. Haines, it appears that more than four and a half miles of sewers lead into this one channel; and the statement of Mr. Kneass shows, that rather more than half a square mile, or nearly sixteen millions of square feet of surface drain into it, being somewhat more than one quarter the entire area of the city proper.

When rain falls at the rate of one inch an hour, which is an event of not unfrequent occurrence, the quantity of water draining from this surface is about twenty-two thousand cubic feet per minute, sufficient to fill the entire sewer in Dock street in about five minutes, and requiring a head of more than three feet to pass it through a clear opening equal in size to the smallest cross section of the sewer. The resistance due to its length, irregular form and tortuous direction, would probably require this head to be doubled.

During the disastrous storm on the first of July, 1842, there fell nearly six inches of rain in two hours, yielding nearly three times the quantity of water just estimated, and consequently capable of filling the entire sewer in less than one minute and a half, which is a period entirely too brief for its contents to be evacuated under any head that the situation will admit, without completely inundating the adjacent grounds to the depth of several feet; should a tide of extraordinary height concur with a heavy rain, the danger must be much increased.

Upon ascertaining these facts, there seems to be no room for doubt as to the principal cause of the inconvenience and damage occasionally suffered by the owners and occupants of property in the vicinity of Dock street. The insufficient capacity of the sewer for the effectual discharge of the surface drainage of the large area for which it has been made the only outlet, is undoubtedly the primary cause of the difficulty; and the imperfect condition of some portions of it very much aggravates the evil. The repair of these delapidated parts, and removal of the deposits of mud lying on the bottom will, it is believed, diminish the frequency of the inundations of the vicinity; but it is not probable that a complete and reliable remedy will be obtained, without considerable addition to the capacity of the underground channel from the corner of Dock and Walnut streets to the river. To undertake an enlargement, or extensive repair of the Dock street sewer, without first making some adequate provision for the independent discharge of the large volume of water conducted to this quarter, must be considered extremely hazardous, if not entirely impracticable; and the treacherous character of the soil in Dock street, renders the attempt to construct another sewer alongside the present one scarcely less hazardous; the cost of either work would undoubtedly be very great, and cannot with certainty be estimated within some tens of thousands of dollars. The cheapest, safest, and most efficient improvement of the drainage of this district will, in our opinion, be obtained

by the construction of a culvert in Walnut street from the intersection of Dock street to the Delaware, pretty much in accordance with the plan drawn by the late City Surveyor, now on file in the Office. This culvert should be of circular or elliptical cross section, not less than eight feet diameter, or equivalent area, and should be extended through a pier to the verge of the Warden's wharf line, debouching in deep water entirely below the level of low tide.

The question of probable injury to the shipping interests in the vicinity of this outlet, is one that has claimed our serious consideration. Having been informed that the water has been shoaling considerably in the neighbourhood of the sewer constructed in Christian street a few years ago, we visited the place, and upon inquiry found that our information was correct; we did not, however, perceive any sufficient reason for supposing that the effect was due to the action of the culvert, but was a part of the general accumulation of sediment, which has for many years been depositing along the river shore, from the Navy Yard nearly to the City line.

The Peg's run sewer probably carries down a larger proportion of garbage and silt than any other in our vicinity; a long pier has recently been constructed on the south of its outlet, making a narrow dock of considerable length, in which the stream passes from the mouth of the sewer to the river channel; no accumulation is observable at the end of the pier, although the bed of the dock presents a very disagreeable mass of mud. Nor does there appear, so far as we have been able to learn, to be any sedimentary deposit in the river from the sewers at Mulberry, High, or Dock streets; the large accumulation of deposit in the Spruce street dock which has sometimes been attributed to the latter, having evidently been derived from silt brought down by the surface water from Spruce street, mingled with oyster shells cast overboard from the numerous boats frequenting that locality.

The peculiar contour of the river shores, and the position of Windmill Island, give direction to the tidal currents which has the effect of cutting away the river bottom along the entire city front, and producing a gradual increase of depth of water at the ends of the projecting wharves; and as this operation is known to be especially effective in the vicinity of Walnut street, there does not appear to be any reason to apprehend an accumulation of deposit from a sewer emptying at that point. But as the protection of the valuable berths for large ships located in the neighbourhood, from even a remote danger of injury, should be an object of primary importance, we

would recommend that every possible precaution should be taken to guard against such contingency. Not only should the sewer be located in a pier on the south side of Walnut street, extending to deep water, as before suggested, and be sunk below low tide, to prevent the exit of offensive effluvia; but care should be taken to leave unobstructed the sluice way at the head of the dock, carrying the sewer over the top of it in a trunk of timber or cast iron, and to arrange the connection with the old sewer at Dock street, in a way that may form a dirt trap, which shall prevent the entrance of the ordinary silt into the Walnut street branch, by making the level of the bottom of the new sewer, a foot or more higher than the old one at the junction.

The present sewer in Walnut street, west of Dock street, appears in the sectional draft to be slightly above that in Dock street, and it will only be necessary to start the new one on the same or a little higher level to attain this object. The connection between the Walnut street and Dock street sewers, ought to be preserved as at present, without diminution of size, so as to give the full benefit of both channels for venting heavy rains. From the general tenor of the facts and opinions above set forth, it may be inferred that we think favorably of the proposition for a culvert down Walnut street; to prevent all misapprehension on this point, it may be proper to add that we unhesitatingly recommend the adoption of this course in the first instance, and secondly, the repair of the defective portions of the old culvert; particularly that near the wharf at the foot of Dock street, as soon as practicable.

The resolution under which the commission was appointed, requires an estimate of the cost of carrying the several schemes enumerated into effect; but the time which we have been able to devote to the subject has not been sufficient, to permit us to enter sufficiently in details to form an estimate that can have any pretension to strict accuracy.

From the best information it has been in our power to obtain, respecting the character of the ground in Walnut street, we see no reason to suppose that the cost of constructing a culvert there chiefly by tunneling, will be greater than in High street; and as the one now proposed will be shorter than the one lately made in that street, in nearly the same ratio that its capacity will be greater, we shall not greatly err in estimating its cost at the same amount, say in round numbers about ten thousand dollars. To arrive at a correct idea of the cost of the wharf pier containing the extension of the sewer beyond the dock, will require a set of soundings

and measurements, that can be best made by practical wharf builders; but supposing the depth of water to be about 50 feet at the outer end, and 25 feet at the head of the dock, the pier being 28 feet wide and 132 feet long, with suitable provision for the sluice way, and connection with the culvert on shore, we would consider the sum of five thousand five hundred dollars, to be a safe estimate of its cost.

Of the probable expense of repairing the dock street sewer, the first elements for an estimate have not been obtained; nor can they be had without a thorough subterranean examination, and openings at the surface of sufficient magnitude to exhibit the extent of the dilapidation. Whatever this may prove to be, there can be no doubt not only of the propriety, but also of the necessity of taking it in hand at an early day, as the present condition of this important work subjects a number of our fellow citizens to continued hazard of serious loss of property, and the public at large to risk of disease, arising from the occasional overflow of the noxious and filthy stream for which the sewer has been made the channel of discharge.—All of which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN C. CRESSON,
PHILIP M. PRICE,
SOLOMON W. ROBERTS,

Phila., June 13th, 1849.

Topographical Commissioners.

T. W. CHANDLER, *Sec. Top. Comm.*

An Ordinance

To authorize the construction of a Culvert in Walnut street.

SECT. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia in Select and Common Councils assembled,* That the Committee on Public Highways cause to be constructed by contract or otherwise, a culvert in Walnut street to commence at the termination of the present Walnut street culvert at Dock street, and to extend along Walnut street eastward, to a point seventeen feet east of Delaware Avenue, with suitable openings in the same, and to be of a diameter not less than eight feet six inches in the clear, according to a plan drawn by Samuel H. Kneass, Principal City Surveyor and Regulator, dated July 5, 1849, and to extend from said point into the river Delaware, through a pier hereafter to be provided for.

APPENDIX, No. LXIII.

The Committee on Public Highways, Report the annexed Resolution relative to the paving and re-paving of certain streets —also a Bill providing for the construction of a Culvert in Juniper street, and an ordinance relating to Water street.

All of which they recommend Councils to pass.

Respectfully submitted.

A. W. THOMPSON,

J. R. TYSON,

J. E. HAGERT,

JESSE GODLEY,

ALGN. S. ROBERTS,

JACOB AMOS.

May 5, 1849.

Resolved, That the City Commissioners, under the direction of the Committee on Public Highways, be directed to regulate, curb and pave Ann street from Schuylkill 4th to 5th street.

And to re-pave Lawrence street from Twelfth to Juniper street, and Lybrand street from Sassafras street to a point two hundred and sixty-six feet northward therefrom.

An Ordinance

To authorize the construction of a certain Culvert.

SECT. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia, in Select and Common Councils assembled*, That the City Commissioners under direction of the Committee on Public Highways, cause a culvert to be constructed in Juniper street, to commence at the termination of the present culvert on the north side of Cherry, and to extend northwardly along Juniper street to the north side of Sassafras street, with suitable openings in the same; and to be of a diameter not exceeding three feet in the clear.

An Ordinance

Relating to Water Street.

SECT. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia, in Select and Common Councils assembled*, That the Committee on Public Highways be, and they are hereby authorized and required to pay to Alexander Rankin, the sum of one thousand four hundred and fifty dollars, which amount he has agreed to accept as compensation for injury done his property, situate on the west side of Water street, commencing at the distance of one hundred and seventy-three feet from the north side of Mulberry street, and extending in

front on said Water street, northward thirty-two feet six inches, by taking a portion thereof from the front on said Water street, by the laying out of Water street anew. And to pay to Hugh Carlin the sum of five hundred and fifty-three dollars and fifty cents, which amount he has agreed to accept as compensation for injury done his property, situate on the west side of Water street, commencing at the distance of two hundred and five feet six inches from the north side of Mulberry street, and extending in front on said Water street, northward thirteen feet six inches, by taking a portion thereof from the front on Water street, by the laying out of Water street anew.

SECT 2. That the sum of two thousand and three dollars and fifty cents out of the income of the fund appropriated under the twenty-second item of the Will of Stephen Girard for the improvement of the eastern front of the City and Delaware Avenue be appropriated to the expense of carrying into effect this Ordinance, to be paid in the manner that appropriations for Delaware Avenue are directed to be paid in the several ordinances relating thereto.

APPENDIX, No. LXIV.

To the Select and Common Councils:

The Committee on Legacies and Trusts, in compliance with the Ordinance of January 19th, 1843, supplementary to the Ordinance of May 21st, 1840, made their annual visit on the 12th and 13th of June last, to the Fire Engine and Hose Companies of the City for the purpose of inspecting their apparatus and inquiring into their condition and efficiency for public service;—and Report,

That their visit was confined to the Companies that have accepted of the provisions of the ordinance of January 4th, 1844, entitled “An Ordinance for the better regulation of the Fire Department,” and the several supplements thereto. These Companies they found in a high state of preparation for active service, with the exception of the Washington Engine, which had been recently injured, and was temporarily withdrawn from the service, in part on account of the injury, but in part and prudently in order to allay an excitement which had exhibited itself in a large number of evil disposed young men who were in the habit of collecting in the vicinity of the Engine house. The Committee recommend that the annual appropriation of \$300 be made to this Company as well as to the Companies named in the subjoined table, amounting in all to Seven Engine and Eleven Hose Companies.

Location N. or S. of Chestnut Street.	NAMES OF COMPANIES.	Engineers.	Feet of Hose.	Active Mem- bers.	Hon. Mem- bers.	Contri. Mem.	In service at firs.	Tenure of Location.	Location.
South	Hibernia Engine	J. A. Sawyer,	400	60	74	55	81	Owued.	Pear below Third St.
"	Washington "	J. S. Butler,							Lombard below Eleventh St.
North	Reliance "	D. W. Donaghy,	310	48	48	27	15	Owued.	New above Second St.
"	Good Will "	G. B. Simler,	950	69	52		92	Owued.	Race below Broad St.
"	Harmony "	W. R. Heston,	480	61	52	7	66	Owued.	Eight below Arch St.
"	Diligent "	J. A. B. Clayton,	800	32	72	61		Owued.	S. W. corner of Tenth and Filbert.
"	Columbia "	W. K. Yeager,	610	37	28				Crown above Race St.
South	Good Intent Hose	C. A. Oliver,	1000	18	68		19	Owued.	Prune above Fourth St.
"	Southwark "	S. Johnston,	1200	18	90	47	47		South end of Second St. Market.
"	Robert Morris "	P. M'Manus,	1550	29	31	18	44		Lombard above Eighth St.
"	Schuykill "	B. M. Schofield,	850	32	23	8	23	Owued.	Locust above Twelfth St.
"	Western "	G. W. Argood,	1200	46	51	9	33	Owued.	Schuykill Third near Lombard St.
North	Philadelphia "	J. C. Moore,	800	8	107	50	48	Owued.	Seventh above High St.
"	Resolution "	J. Moore,	840	20	47	27	52	Owued.	Cherry above Fifth St.
"	Phoenix "	J. W. Blake,	1140	21	44	113	55	Owued.	Filbert above Seventh St.
"	Diligent "	J. Kensil,	1000	34	47	15	42	Owued.	Madison above Race St.
"	Neptune "	J. Fitzpatrick,	800	72	60				Crown above Race St.
"	Perseverance "	W. B. Elliott,	1700	23	55	15	53	Owued.	Quarry below Third St.

The Washington Hose Company, which had withdrawn from the number of accepting Companies, asks again to be admitted, and the petition was referred by Councils to this Committee. The withdrawing of this Company, it is alleged, was occasioned by alien influence and the strength of the junior members; that this has been overcome by the senior members, and the Company is disposed to comply in every respect with the ordinances. This your Committee was happy to learn, and believe that henceforth this Company may be numbered with those anxious to perform active and beneficial service to the public—as however this disposition in the Company was not manifested, nor Engineers elected until after the 3d Wednesday in January last, they cannot receive the customary annual appropriation without infringing on the ordinances—and no appropriation was made by Councils for their use in the bill prepared the 8th of February last. The Company must therefore look forward to the next year, when by a continuance in the path of duty now determined upon, they will be entitled to hold rank with the other accepting Companies, and receive from the City the customary appropriation,

Annexed is a resolution which the Committee recommend should be passed.

The Committee also visited the Wills Hospital, which they found in its usual high state of good order and management.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

GEO. R. FISHER,
A. J. DEREYSHIRE,
W. WATT,
J. E. HAGERT,
ISAAC ELLIOTT,
EDM. A. SOUDER,
S. J. CHRISTIAN,
JAS. J. BOSWELL,

Committee on Legacies and Trusts.

Resolved, That the Committee on Legacies and Trusts be authorized to pay to each of the Fire Engine and Hose Companies whose Engineers have been appointed under existing Ordinances the sum of \$300 in such amounts and at such times as the Committee shall deem proper—Provided that the Committee may withhold from any Company the whole or any part of the same, if in their opinion such Company has

wilfully violated any of the provisions of the ordinances relating to the Fire Department.

APPENDIX, No. LXV.

To the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

The Sanitary Committee respectfully report, that since their appointment they have met daily, Sunday included, in the Common Council Chamber at 12 M., and that they have diligently attended to the duties of their appointment.

Among these duties the Committee thought it incumbent on them to cause places of shelter to be provided for such families residing in the City as shall be removed from their homes by the order of the Board of Health and who shall be unable to obtain new residences. Such removal will occasionally be not less essential to the general health of the City than to the safety of those who are removed. To turn such persons into the streets would be unchristian and inhuman; it would be scarcely less wrong under present circumstances to send them to the Alms House—and even if that institution were not a focus of disease, it would be unjust by the exercise of public authority to pauperize those who are supporting themselves by their own industry. The Committee deeming it the duty of the Guardians of the Poor, (it certainly is not of the Board of Health,) to supply these places of shelter requested them to do so;—but as no practical action has been obtained from this request, the Sanitary Committee at yesterday's session ordered the immediate provision of shelter for the class of persons referred to. As the order was made without the authority of Councils until confirmed by them, it must rest upon the individual responsibility of those who made it.

The Committee however, do not for a moment doubt that they will receive from Councils the ratification of their act which they respectfully solicit, and submit the accompanying resolutions.

B. GERHARD,
FREDK. LENNIG,
CHAS. A. POULSON,
BENJ. ORNE,
JAS. R. GEMMILL,
ALGN. S. ROBERTS,
JOHN TRUCKS,
EDMD. A. SOUDE,
JACOB AMOS,
J B LANCASTER.

July 12th, 1849

Resolved, That Councils approve of the action of the Sanitary Committee in providing places of Shelter for families resident in the City who shall be removed by the Board of Health from their houses during the prevalence of the Cholera, and that admission to such places shall be obtained by the order of the Chairman of the Sanitary Committee on the recommendation of the member of Councils in whose district the removal shall be ordered.

Resolved, That the expenditures of the Sanitary Committee shall be certified by its chairman from time to time to the Chairman of the Committee on Cleansing, who shall therefore draw a requisition for the amount so certified, which shall be charged to the appropriation of \$10,000 made to the Cleansing Committee, on the 7th day of June last.

APPENDIX, No. LXVI.

To the Select and Common Councils:

The Sanitary Committee respectfully Report:

That they believe it to be of great importance during the prevalence of the Cholera, to prevent as far as practicable, the sale of unsound articles of food. They therefore respectfully ask the passage of the accompanying resolution.

B. GERHARD,
JOHN C. DAVIS,
CHAS. A. POULSON,
JAS. J. BOSWELL,
GEO. R. FISHER,
S. J. CHRISTIAN.

July 19th, 1849.

Resolved, That the Clerks of the market be directed to visit all shops and places for the sale of articles of food within the City for the purpose of preventing the sale of, and forfeiting unsound articles of food.

APPENDIX, No. LXVII.

An Ordinance

To fix the regulation of ascents and descents in Delaware Third and Branch Street.

SECT. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia, in Select and Common Councils assembled,*

That the regulation of ascents and descents on the west side of Delaware Third street from Branch to Sassafras street, and on the South side of Branch street from Delaware Third street to a point three hundred and twenty-five feet westwardly therefrom shall be and the same are hereby fixed and established according to a plan hereto annexed made by M. T. W. Chandler, Assistant City Surveyor and Regulator, dated the Nineteenth day of July Anno Domini Eighteen hundred and forty-nine, any existing ordinance or regulation to the contrary notwithstanding.

APPENDIX, No. LXVIII.

To the Select and Common Councils :

The Committee on Police to whom was referred the memorial of six members of the corps of lamp-lighters, asking for an increase of their monthly pay; representing as a reason, "that the monthly pay of ten dollars under the high state of common necessities of life is insufficient to meet the daily wants of themselves and families,"

Respectfully report:—

That an application of a similar nature was determined by Councils on the 7th of March last; and the main reason assigned by your committee, who suggested the inexpediency of acceding to the proposition then, was and still continues, in their judgment, worthy of consideration; especially, when it is understood that the services rendered occupies but a small portion of time, say not exceeding about *three* hours per day during three weeks of each *lunar* month. Hence there appears to be no reasonable grounds to change the decision already recorded, that it is inexpedient to grant the prayer of your petitioners, and your Committee further beg leave to offer the resolution annexed.

CHAS. A. POULSON, *Chairman.*
 ROBERT HUTCHINSON,
 FREDK. LENNIG,
 W. MORRIS,
 J. B. LANCASTER,
 JOHN P. WETHERILL,
 JOHN TRUCKS,

Committee room, }
 June 16th, 1849. }

Committee on Police.

Resolved, That the Committee be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

APPENDIX, No. LXIX.

The Committee on Public Highways, Report,

That by an ordinance passed 5th July, 1849, entitled "An ordinance to authorize the construction of a culvert in Walnut street" they were authorized to cause a culvert to be constructed in Walnut street from the termination of the Walnut street culvert at Dock street to a point seventeen feet east of Delaware avenue, and to extend from said point into the river Delaware through a pier thereafter to be provided for; that they made application to the Directors of the Camden and Amboy Rail Road Company for permission to extend the said culvert into the river through their wharf and pier adjoining Walnut street on the south: and that the said Directors have refused to grant such permission.

By existing acts of assembly the corporation have the authority to extend culverts through private property, upon making compensation for any damages sustained thereby, notwithstanding the owner of such property refuse to consent to such extension; yet under present circumstances the Committee do not recommend that this authority should be exercised in this instance, but they prefer that Councils should authorize them to extend the culvert to the foot of Walnut street, and report an ordinance for that purpose.

JACOB AMOS,
JESSE GODLEY,
A. W. THOMPSON,
JAS. J. BOSWELL,
ALGN. S. ROBERTS,
J. E. HAGERT.

A Supplement

To an Ordinance passed the 5th day of July A. D. 1849, entitled "An ordinance to authorize the construction of a culvert in Walnut street."

SECTION 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia in Select and Common Councils assembled,* That the culvert authorized to be constructed by the ordinance to which this is a supplement shall be continued from the point named in said ordinance, being seventeen feet east of Delaware avenue, to the foot of Walnut street on the river Delaware.

APPENDIX, No. LXX.

An Ordinance

To prevent the Sale or exposure to Sale, of unwholesome Provisions.

SECT. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia in Select and Common Councils assembled,* That if any person shall sell or expose for sale at any place within the City any blown, stale or unwholesome provision, the same shall be forfeited and the offender shall incur a penalty of five dollars for each offence.

SECT. 2. That it shall be the duty of the Clerks of the Markets to visit every house or building in which provisions are exposed for sale, and if the occupier thereof shall prevent said Clerks from entering his premises for the purpose of ascertaining whether any such blown, stale or unwholesome provisions are exposed for sale, he or she shall forfeit and pay the sum of five dollars.

SECT. 3. That the penalties herein mentioned shall be sued for and recovered in the manner that penalties for violation of ordinances are by law recoverable.

APPENDIX, No. LXXI.

An Ordinance

To provide for the appointment of certain police officers.

SECT. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia, in Select and Common Councils assembled,* That the Police Committee shall forthwith appoint a lieutenant of police—and annually hereafter on the first monday of January, *appoint a 1st and 2nd Lieutenant of Police*, and that so much of any ordinance as provides for a different appointment of a 1st and 2nd lieutenant, be and the same is hereby repealed.

APPENDIX, No. LXXII.

GIRARD COLLEGE, AUGUST 16th, 1849.

To the Select and Common Councils :

GENTLEMEN.

I have been instructed by the Directors of the Girard College for Orphans to transmit to you the accompanying plans and estimates of the cost of a Suitable Building, Steam Engine, and other apparatus and Fixtures for supplying the establishment with water and increasing its accommodations for other purposes connected with the cleanliness, health and instruction of the pupils. The supply of water is now so inadequate and uncertain as to require immediate attention, and the structures which it would be necessary to erect in order to store and distribute a sufficient quantity of it may and ought to be so arranged as to serve for the other purposes above suggested, acting upon this view the directors have caused the plan to be so prepared as to ultimately embrace all, while the expenditures upon them may be progressive and the completion of the whole be spread over such period of time as the other claims upon the income of the College Fund may render necessary. By reference to the plan it will be perceived that the board proposes to erect a plain but substantial stone edifice fifty feet wide by one hundred feet long three stories in height with convenient and airy cellars under the whole, and with a suitable offset for containing the boiler and furnace of the steam engine so as far as practicable to secure safety from fire and explosion. The cellars will be occupied as an engine room and work-shop and for storing fuel and vegetables &c. The principal story will contain a washing and ironing room, a bake house, and a room which may hereafter be used as a bathing room or as an additional work-shop. The second story will contain two large drying rooms for clothing and household linen, and two large play rooms for the pupils in inclement weather. The third story will be appropriated for the reservoirs for containing water, and will also afford space for lumber rooms; the height of the building will be about forty feet, and it will be located at a convenient and suitable distance west of the present out buildings. It is proposed that the water shall be raised from a well on the premises by a steam engine of about five horse power, and be forced to the

reservoirs by a pump, and from thence distributed to the out buildings and College at such height as may be needed for health and comfort.

The cost of the building when completed, is estimated at twelve thousand dollars. The cost of the well, engine, pump, and the fixtures, and the pipes connected with them, will be about fifteen hundred dollars. The cost of the reservoirs made of iron and of a cylindrical form to contain about 2,500 gallons each, will be about \$120 each. It is proposed to erect four of these at present and to add to the number as the family is enlarged. The cost of the pipes for distribution will be \$500. And for other apparatus and fixtures immediately required for washing, ironing and baking, about \$500. The whole sum needed will therefore be as nearly as we can estimate at \$1500. but a part of it, say one half, will not be required to be paid before April 1850. The directors have instructed me to ask that an appropriation be granted to the Commissioners of the Girard Estates for the purpose of enabling the board to make the contracts for the building and such parts of the work as are immediately required so that the same may be put into use before the ensuing winter. I have the honor to be, yours, &c.

JOS. R. CHANDLER,
*President of the Board of Directors
 of the Girard College for Orphans.*

APPENDIX, No. LXXIII.

To the Select and Common Councils:

The Committee of Visitation of the Girard College, for the months of June and July, Report

That they have visited the College once in each month, inspected the several departments, and consider them to be conducted with proper regard to the directions of the founder, they have examined the account and minute books of the Directors, and the accuracy with which they are kept is highly creditable, but the amount of labor performed in this respect is not adequately compensated for to the Secretary. The committee noticed pools of water standing against the outside of the walls which enclose the grounds, and they would recommend that early attention be paid to them, by grading in such a manner that no water will lay within six feet of it. They also noticed that the large amount of earth on the outside of the wall

is pressing it over, as the inner side in some parts is twenty feet lower, they would recommend that good abutments be placed on the inside with as little delay as possible. The stone is also falling out of the piers, which should be attended to early, as the frost will affect it in the state it now is. Among the objects of interest presented to the notice of your committee, were the books, pictures, silver ware, china, clothing, and other personal property of Mr. Girard, and they were peculiarly attractive. In relation to these articles, it is respectfully suggested, that they ought to be catalogued, arranged, and carefully preserved in an apartment especially appropriated for that purpose, because in the course of time, when the living recollection of the great benefactor shall have passed away, the minutest of these relics will be eagerly sought after, and their examination furnish to the inquirer the most pleasing and appropriate illustrations of the character and personal habits of the venerated Stephen Girard.

Respectfully submitted.

JACOB AMOS,
CHAS. A. POULSON,
B. GERHARD,
EDMUND WILCOX,
JAS. J. BOSWELL,
EDMD. A. SOUDER,
A. G. WATERMAN.

August 16th, 1849.

To the Select and Common Councils:

The Committee on Public Highways Report the annexed bill making an appropriation for the purpose of repairing the pebble pavement of Delaware avenue which they recommend Councils to pass.

Respectfully submitted.

SAUN. LEWIS, *Chairman.*
JESSE GODLEY,
JAS. J. BOSWELL,
J. R. TYSON,
J. E. HAGERT,
JACOB AMOS.

APPENDIX, No. LXXIV.

An Ordinance

Making a further appropriation to the Committee on Public Highways for the purpose of repairing the pebble pavement of Delaware Avenue.

SECT. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia in Select and Common Councils assembled,* That the sum of three thousand dollars out of the income of the fund appropriated under the twenty-second item of the Will of Stephen Girard, for the improvement of the eastern front of the city and Delaware Avenue, be appropriated to the Committee on Public Highways, for the purpose of repairing the pebble pavement of Delaware Avenue: said appropriation to be paid in the manner that appropriations for Delaware Avenue are directed to be paid in the several Ordinances relating thereto.

Passed August 16, 1849.

APPENDIX, No. LXXV.

The following resolutions are most respectfully submitted to the Members of the Common Council of the City of Philadelphia,

By their obedient servant,

JOHN YARROW,
Chairman of Committee.

Phila., August 29th, 1849.

OFFICE PENNA. RAIL ROAD CO.

Phila., August 25th, 1849.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors held on 22d inst. the following communication was submitted:

PHILADA. AUGUST 25th, 1849.

To the Directors of the
Pennsylvania Rail Road Co.

GENTLEMEN:—Circumstances connected with my private affairs, compel me to announce to you my intention of resigning the office with which you have entrusted me. I need

scarcely say that I take the step with great reluctance. Identified as I am in feeling and interest with the great work which, above all others, is destined to add to the prosperity of Philadelphia, I had hoped to have been prominently instrumental in urging it to final completion; and although I relinquish the position I have occupied as President of the Company, my exertions will not be wanting in forwarding its interests.

It is no small cause of regret that my official connection is severed with gentlemen both of the Board and in the Office, with whom I have acted in the most uninterrupted harmony and good feeling. A continuance of which it will always be my pleasure to cultivate.

Desirous of resuming my private business at as early a date as possible, and at the same time give a full opportunity to select a successor, I leave to the Board to fix the date at which my resignation shall take effect.

Very respectfully,

S. V. MERRICK,
Pres. Penna. R. R. Co.

The following resolution was then adopted :

Resolved, That a committee of four be appointed to take into consideration the communication of the President in reference to his resignation, and to nominate a suitable person to fill his situation as President, and report the same to the Board.

At a meeting of the Board held this date the Committee made a report and submitted the following resolutions, which were adopted :

Resolved, That the resignation of Samuel V. Merrick as President of the Company, be accepted, to take effect on the 1st September, in compliance with his wishes that an early day might be named.

Resolved, That the Board do now proceed to elect a President for this Company, to take effect on the 1st September, to fill the vacancy which will at this time be occasioned by the resignation of the President, S. V. Merrick, Esq.

The Board then proceeded to an election, after which the Chairman announced that Wm. Patterson, Esq., having received the whole number of votes polled, was declared unanimously elected President, to take effect on the 1st September.

The following resolutions were then submitted and unanimously adopted :

Resolved, That this Board has learned with great regret, that circumstances connected with his private affairs have induced Mr. Merrick to resign the position which he has occupied with so much ability, as President of the Pennsylvania Rail Road Company, since its organization.

Resolved, That the thanks of this Board are eminently due to Samuel V. Merrick, Esq., for the industry and intelligence which he has devoted to the welfare of our great work.

Resolved, That the Board trust it will be compatible with Mr. Merrick's other engagements to continue his connection with the Company in the capacity of a Director, sharing with his colleagues in their labour and responsibilities, and affording them the aid of his judgment and experience.

Extracts from Minutes.

THOMAS J. FIRTH,
Secretary.

APPENDIX, No. LXXVI.

To the Select and Common Councils :

The Committee on Police, having for some time past been engaged in investigating the causes of complaints of nuisances, arising from the stand for Omnibuses on Dock street, north and east of the Merchants' Exchange,

Respectfully report:—

That it is apparent this site, as designated by the City Commissioners, has become, as regards space, inadequate to the accommodation of the greatly increased number of coaches now employed. It is also sufficiently obvious, that the time has arrived requiring the interposition of Councils, in order to check the nuisances constantly occurring, and mainly, from the above cause recited. Your Committee therefore, submit herewith, for the consideration of Councils, a draft of an ordinance which they believe, if sanctioned by Councils, will, first, prevent many of the disgraceful scenes exhibited by the quarrels and personal collisions of the drivers, their agents, or other persons connected with their coaches; secondly, abolish the rude and officious conduct of these men plying for fares, towards citizens, especially women and children, while approaching or passing the vicinity; and lastly, promote the convenience

and interests of all parties—more particularly those of the public, for whose comfort these vehicles have ostensibly been introduced.

CHAS. A. POULSON, *Chairman.*
 ROBERT HUTCHINSON,
 JOHN TRUCKS,
 FREDK. LENNIG,
 A. G. WATERMAN,
 J. B. LANCASTER,
 WILLIAM MORRIS.

Committee Room, }
 August 20th, 1849. }

Committee on Police.

An Ordinance

Appropriating certain parts of Dock, Walnut and Third streets for stands for Omnibuses, and for enforcing useful regulations thereat, and for other purposes.

SECT. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia, in Select and Common Councils assembled,* That the west side of Dock street, east and north of the Merchants' Exchange building, from Walnut street to Third street; the east side of Third street from Dock to Walnut street, and the north side of Walnut street, from Third to Dock street, excluding six feet on each side of any flag-stone crossings on said streets, shall be stands for omnibuses.

SECT. 2. *Be it further ordained and enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That if any omnibus be kept standing in any other part of the said streets than that appropriated for them as stands, the owner, driver or person having charge thereof, shall forfeit and pay the sum of five dollars for each and every such offence.

SECT. 3. *Be it further ordained and enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That if any agent or person employed to solicit fare or passengers for any omnibus or line of omnibuses occupying or using the stands hereby created, shall, while so soliciting fare or passengers, be further distant from the door of the omnibus for which he so solicits fare or passengers than fifteen feet, he shall forfeit and pay the sum of five dollars for each and every such offence.

SECT. 4. *Be it further ordained and enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That the penalties herein imposed shall be sued for and recovered with costs in the same manner that penalties for breach of ordinances are by law recoverable.

SECT. 5. *Be it further ordained and enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That whenever the City Commissioners shall by authority of existing ordinances appropriate any part of the public streets as a stand for omnibuses, they shall exclude from such stand the space of six feet on each side of any flag-stone crossing on such street.

SECT. 6. *Be it further ordained and enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That so much of any ordinance or regulation as is inconsistent herewith, be and the same is hereby repealed.

APPENDIX, No. LXXVII.

To the Select and Common Councils :

The Committee on Public Highways Report the annexed Ordinance relating to the prevention of accidents during the construction of buildings, and recommend its passage.

Respectfully submitted.

SAUN. LEWIS, *Chairman.*
J. GODLEY,
A. W. THOMPSON.
JAS. J. BOSWELL,
J. R. TYSON,
J. E. HAGERT,
ALGN. S. ROBERTS.

An Ordinance

To prevent accidents during the construction, repair and alteration of buildings in the City of Philadelphia.

SECTION 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia in Select and Common Councils assembled,* That during the construction, repair or alteration of any building within the City of Philadelphia, it shall be the duty of the owner thereof, or of the person having charge of such construction, repair or alteration, to cause to be placed a wooden platform, which shall extend along the whole front of such building, and project from two feet and one half from the wall thereof to the curbstone or line of the foot-pavement :

said platform to be of the height, at the curbstone or line of the foot-pavement, of at least ten feet therefrom, and shall incline downwards towards the wall of the building, and shall be of sufficient strength to intercept the falling of bricks, timber or other building materials.

SECT. 2. *Be it further ordained and enacted by the authority aforesaid,* If any such owner, or persons having such charge as aforesaid, shall violate any of the provisions hereof, he or she shall forfeit and pay the sum of Fifty Dollars, to be sued for and recovered as penalties for breach of Ordinances are by law recoverable.

APPENDIX, No. LXXVIII.

To the Select and Common Councils :

The Committee on Public Highways Report—

The annexed Ordinance relating to Water street, and ask its passage.

Respectfully submitted.

SAUN. LEWIS, *Chairman.*
J. GODLEY,
A. W. THOMPSON,
JAS. J. BOSWELL,
J. R. TYSON,
J. E. HAGERT,
ALGN. S. ROBERTS,
JACOB AMOS.

An Ordinance

Relating to Water Street.

SECT. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia, in Select and Common Councils assembled,* That the Committee on Public Highways be and they are

hereby authorized and required to pay to Jacob Shuster the sum of Nine Hundred Dollars, which amount he has agreed to accept as compensation for injury done his property situate on the west side of Water Street, commencing at the distance of one hundred and fifty-four feet from the north side of Mulberry Street, and extending in front on said Water Street, northward, nineteen feet nine inches, by taking a portion thereof from the front on said Water Street by the laying out of Water Street anew.

SECT. 2. *Be it further ordained and enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That the sum of Nine Hundred Dollars out of the income of the fund appropriated under the twenty-second item of the Will of Stephen Girard, for the improvement of the eastern front of the City and Delaware Avenue, be appropriated to the expense of carrying into effect this Ordinance, to be paid in the manner that appropriations for Delaware Avenue are directed to be paid in the several Ordinances relating thereto.

APPENDIX, No. LXXIX.

An Ordinance

To provide for the rewarding of persons active in bringing certain offenders to justice.

SECTION 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia in Select and Common Councils assembled,* That the Committee on Police shall pay out of the sum annually appropriated to them, for rewarding persons active in bringing offenders to justice, to every such person that the Mayor shall certify to them has been arrested and caused to be prosecuted to conviction any rioter or inciter to riot within the city, such sum of money as the Mayor may designate; Provided not more than One Hundred Dollars be paid for the arrest and conviction of any one person.

APPENDIX, No. LXXX.

To the Select and Common Councils :

The Sanitary Committee, to whom was referred the consideration of an Ordinance passed by Select Council on the 29th of August, entitled " A Supplement to an Ordinance for the suppression of nuisances, passed on the 7th day of June, 1849,"

Respectfully Report—

The same Ordinance, hereunto annexed, and recommend its passage by Common Council.

And your Committee further suggest the adoption of the resolution also annexed.

CHAS. A. POULSON, *Ch'n.* P. T. EDMUND WILCOX,

JAS. J. BOSWELL,

JACOB AMOS,

JOS. M. THOMAS,

S. J. CHRISTIAN,

JOHN TRUCKS,

GEO. R. FISHER,

A. G. WATERMAN,

J. B. LANCASTER,

JOHN C. DAVIS,

BENJ. ORNE,

FREDK. LENNIG,

W. WATTS,

WM. G. MENTZ,

A. J. DERBYSHIRE.

Committee Room, }
September 12, 1849. }

Resolved, That the subject of regulating the times when water from the fire plugs shall be permitted to be used for the purpose of sprinkling the streets, be referred to the Watering Committee with instructions to report the same to Councils.

A Supplement

To "an Ordinance for the suppression of nuisances" passed on the 7th day of June, A. D. 1849.

SECTION 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia, in Select and Common Councils assembled*, That the *first* section of the ordinance to which this is a supplement, be, and the same is hereby repealed ; and also so much of the *fourth* section thereof as relates thereto.

APPENDIX, No. LXXXI.

To the Select and Common Councils :

The Committee on Public Highways report the annexed resolution, relating to the erection of poles by the "North American Telegraph Company," and recommend its passage.

SAUN. LEWIS, *Chairman.*
JAS. J. BOSWELL,
JACOB AMOS,
JESSE GODLEY,
J. E. HAGERT,
ALGN. S. ROBERTS.

Philadelphia, Sept. 13, 1849.

Resolved, That the North American Telegraph Company be, and they are hereby authorized to erect poles at various points, for the purpose of extending their wires along the following route, in lieu of the route along Third street, designated by resolution, passed June 7, 1849, viz: From their office situate on the south side of Chestnut street, west of Delaware Third street, across to the corner of Franklin place and Chestnut street, thence across Chestnut street again to Hudson's alley, along Hudson's alley to Harmony court, and using their present poles, along Harmony court to Fourth street, thence up and along Fourth street to Vine street. The poles so to be erected to be of the same description as provided for by the aforesaid resolution, and the present privilege being subject to the same conditions and reservations as are contained in the said last mentioned resolution.

APPENDIX, No. LXXXII.

To the Select and Common Councils:

The Committee on Police respectfully submit the annexed draft of an Ordinance modifying the Ordinance regulating the stands for Omnibuses, passed on the 30th of August last.

CHAS. A. POULSON, *Chairman.*
ROBERT HUTCHINSON,
WILLIAM MORRIS,
FREDK. LENNIG,
JOHN TRUCKS,
A. G. WATERMAN,
JOHN P. WETHERILL,
J. B. LANCASTER,

Committee Room, }
September 17th, 1849. }

Committee on Police.

A Supplement

To An Ordinance passed on the 30th day of August, A. D. 1849, entitled, "an Ordinance appropriating certain parts of Dock, Walnut and Third streets, for stands for Omnibuses, and for enforcing useful regulations thereat, and for other purposes."

SECT. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia in Select and Common Councils assembled,* That so much of the first section of the ordinance to which this is a supplement, as provides that the east side of Third street, from Dock street to Walnut street, and the north side of Walnut street from Dock to Third street, shall be a stand for Omnibuses, be and the same is hereby repealed.

SECT. 2. *And be it further ordained and enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That wherever any part of the public streets shall be or has been appropriated as a stand for Omnibuses, whether such appropriation be made by Ordinance or by the City Commissioners, there shall be excluded from such stand the space of two feet on each side of any flag-stone crossing on such street.

SECT. 3. *And be it further ordained and enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That so much of the ordinance to which this is a supplement as is inconsistent herewith, be and the same is hereby repealed.

APPENDIX, No. LXXXIII.

To the Select and Common Councils:

The Committee on Legacies and Trusts in pursuance of the Ordinance of Oct. 1st, 1845, requiring the several Standing Committees to report from time to time to Councils their proceedings, respectfully

REPORT,

That as the duties of the committee for the year now terminate, it is proper they should render an account of the Legacies and Trusts under their management. They are as follows :

THE FRANKLIN FUND.

The Dr. Benjamin Franklin Legacy of \$4444 44 to be loaned at 5 per cent. per annum to married artificers under the age of 25, who have served an apprenticeship in the City of Philadelphia, consisted, at the last report of the committee, of bonds then considered good, - - - \$2419 83

Of which has since been paid, - - - 301 29

Bonds now considered bad, - - - 13962 44

Investments.

City 5 per cent. loan at par, - - - \$10200 00

" 6 " " " " - - - 1600 00

" 6 " " invested this year, 500 00

Bonds now considered good, - - - 2029 20

Cash—balance in Bank, - - - 542 10

THE SCOTT FUND.

The John Scott Legacy of \$3000, to be applied to the same purposes as that of Dr. Franklin, consisted, at last report of the committee,

Of Bonds then considered good, - - - \$938 29

Of which has since been paid, - - - 151 29

Bonds now considered bad, - - - 1460 05

Present Position of the Fund.

City 5 per cent. Loan, - - - - \$3200 00

" 6 per cent. " - - - - 800 00

Cash—balance in Bank, - - - - 228 28

Bonds now considered good, - - - - 1553 10

There have been several applications during the past year

for loans from these funds, but the necessary conditions were only reached in one case, on which \$260 00 was loaned from the Scott Fund.

FUEL FUND.

This fund arises from a donation by the Trustees of the First Lodge of Free Masons; a donation of Wm. Ricketts, Manager of the Circus; Fines and Fees received from the Mayor's Court, from Oct. 1796 to 1809; and from the bequests of John Bleakley, Elizabeth Kirkpatrick and Stephen Girard. The sum received from these sources now consists of—

City 5 per cent. Loan,	-	-	-	-	\$6800 00
4 shares stock in Bank of Penn.	-	-	-	-	1000 00
Cash—balance in Bank,	-	-	-	-	263 45

With the income from these funds the committee purchased 148 cords of oak wood, which was distributed to the poor according to the directions of the several donors.

Your committee have carefully examined the terms of the donations and bequests, and find in each case the word "Fuel" used; and with the design of effecting the greatest amount of good with the means at command, as coal is now so generally in use, and in the present condition of domestic economy of much greater comparative value than wood, it is believed that the efficiency of the Fund will be increased by distributing coal to such beneficiaries as can make a more economical disposition of it than of wood. In accordance with these views your committee have determined for the ensuing year to invest one-half in coal and one half in wood.

WILLS' HOSPITAL FUND

Consists of—

City 5 per cent. Loan,	-	-	-	-	\$14100 00
" 6 " " "	-	-	-	-	4800 00
Mortgage Philadelphia Exchange Co.,	-	-	-	-	50000 00
Cash—balance in Bank,	-	-	-	-	2875 24

YELLOW FEVER FUND,

Arising out of a bequest by John Bleakley, the annual income of which, under an act of the Legislature passed April 16th, 1838, was authorized to be used and applied in the same manner as the funds devoted to Wills' Hospital, consists of—

City 5 per cent. Loan,	-	-	-	-	\$11800 00
Cash—balance in Bank,	-	-	-	-	554 60

During the past year the committee have had under consideration the propriety of selling such parts of the Wills' Hospital lot as do not appear to be required for the actual uses of the institution. Several offers were received showing considerable enhancement in the value of the property; but the committee, after maturely considering the subject, were of opinion that in a short time a much greater advance in the value would probably take place, and determined that any action at the present time would be injudicious.

JOHN SCOTT'S PREMIUM FUND.

This fund, the income of which is to be laid out in premiums to be distributed among ingenious men and women who make useful inventions, consists of:

City 5 per cent. Loan,	-	-	-	-	\$7500 00
“ 6 “ Invested this year,	-	-	-	-	100 00
“ 6 “ “	-	-	-	-	500 00
Cash—balance in Bank,	-	-	-	-	275 41

The business of fulfilling the purposes of this fund was by Ordinance of Councils Sept. 9th, 1841, vested in the “Franklin Institute of the State of Pennsylvania for the promotion of the Mechanic Arts.” The provisions of the ordinance expired in Sept. of that year, and has been renewed for seven years.

The Board of Managers of the Institute having certified to the following awards, they were paid by the committee during the year, viz.

To A. G. Heckrotte, of Cumberland, Maryland, for his improved coupling for Rail Road Cars.

To Lieut. H. S. Steelwagon, of the United States Navy, for his invention of the Gidney Coast survey apparatus.

To Sabin Cotton, of Philadelphia, for improvement in door and padlocks.

SAMUEL SCOTTIN'S LEGACY.

This Legacy for the purchase of bread for the poor of the City and Southwark, to be distributed annually on the 23d of February—the birth-day of Mr. Scottin—unless the same shall fall on Sunday, consists of

An irredeemable ground rent of \$12 per annum.

PAUL BECK, JR.'s LEGACY

For the use of Soup Societies of the City was beneficially distributed during the severe weather of last winter. It consists of

A ground rent of \$500 per annum.

THE BOUDINOT LANDS

Remain as heretofore, and this committee refer for particulars of this property to the report of a sub-committee that visited the lands in the summer of 1848.

Your committee believe that the foregoing embraces all that would be interesting to Councils. Full details in any or all of the premises, can be readily reached when required.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Philadelphia, Sept. 1st, 1849.

GEO. R. FISHER, *Chairman.*
JAS. J. BOSWELL,
A. J. DERBYSHIRE,
ISAAC ELLIOTT,
J. E. HAGERT,
W. WATT,
EDMUND A. SOUDER,
S. J. CHRISTIAN.

APPENDIX, No. LXXXIV.

To the Select and Common Councils :

The Library Committee

REPORT—

That they have, during their official term, in accordance with resolutions of Councils, and otherwise, delivered to Public Institutions and individuals the following volumes of Digest and Journal of Councils, to wit :

To the Philadelphia Library,	1 Copy of Journals.
“ “ Law Library,	1 “ “
“ “ Athenæum Library,	1 “ “
“ “ Board of Health,	1 Set of Journals.
“ “ “ “	1 Copy of Minutes of 1793.
“ “ “ “	1 “ of the Journal of Councils from 1704 to 1776.
“ “ American Philosophical Society,	1 Copy of Journal.
“ “ Historical Society of Penn.,	1 “ “

There have been delivered to sundry individuals, and to be presented to Institutions,

14 Copies of the Minutes of 1793.
6 “ of the old Journals.
4 “ “ Digest.
10 “ “ Journals for 1847 and 1848.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

BENJ. ORNE,
A. W. THOMPSON,
A. G. WATERMAN,
J. R. TYSON.

Philadelphia, September 27, 1849.

APPENDIX, No. LXXXV.

To the Select and Common Councils :

The Sanitary Committee respectfully

REPORT

That their appointment commenced on the 27th of June last, and its term will expire on the last day of the present month. From the 1st of June until the 27th of that month the duties, afterwards devolved on this committee, were performed by the committee on cleansing, which was then composed, like this committee, of all the members of Councils.

In bringing their business to a close, it has been deemed proper to present to Councils a statement of the acts and expenditures of this committee, and of the committee on cleansing during the period last mentioned, as both a proper exhibition of the exertions of the members of Councils for the restoration of the public health during the past epidemic, and also as on account of the application of the moneys so liberally placed at the disposal of the Sanitary Committee.

The cleansing committee, or a delegation of it, met daily (Sundays included) at the City Hall from the 1st to the 26th of June; and the Sanitary Committee met daily (Sundays included,) from the 27th of June to the 16th of August, and weekly from the 16th of August to the 26th of Sept., making in all 82 meetings during the months of June, July, August and September. While there was reason for apprehending a grave visitation of the pestilence, the committee considered it no violation of the Lord's Day to meet on it, to provide for any necessary emergencies which might arise, transacting however on that day no business which did not appear at the time to be necessary for the safety of our fellow-citizens and our own families.

The duties performed by the committee were chiefly a rigid enforcement of cleanliness in the city, and the prompt removal of all nuisances prejudicial to health, which embraced drainage, paving, and the liberal use of deodorizing substances, such as lime, chloride of lime and copperas.

All other reasonable sanitary measures which were from time to time suggested, were also adopted without delay. Among which the committee would enumerate the erection of temporary places of refuge for those families residing in the city, whom the Board of Health judged it expedient to remove from unhealthy or filthy residences, and who were too indigent to provide for themselves new homes. The committee also caused the police station-houses to be kept open during the whole of the 24 hours of each day, not only as centres for the execution of some of their measures, but also as places to which our citizens might resort for advice, assistance, or redress in any cases of necessity. And although from the prompt action of the Board of Health in providing Cholera Hospitals in our city, the sanitary committee were not obliged to establish city hospitals, yet they were called upon by the Board of Health to furnish police officers to be stationed at their hospitals within our city. This was promptly done; and in pursuance of the Ordinance giving him that power, the Mayor, on the request of this committee, appointed extra local policemen for those places.

The action of the Sanitary Committee it is believed is fully known to Councils; but the committee would do great injustice to the members of Councils if it were not stated, that the principal services rendered to the community were so rendered by the individual members of Councils in the various districts, one of which was specifically assigned to each of them.

It will be seen from the annexed statement of the expenditures of the committee, and of the cleansing committee while acting as a sanitary committee, that the city has expended for sanitary purposes since the 1st of June last, only the sum of \$7336 22; from which, however, should be deducted the sum of \$1616 08, being the cost of certain items which remain the property of the city, and are of permanent value; making this deduction, the sum actually expended for sanitary purposes will appear to be only \$5720 14.

In conclusion, the committee offer to Councils their heartfelt congratulations upon the merciful exemption of this city and its inhabitants from any grave visitation of the pestilence, even now raging in various parts of the world, which under God, ought to be ascribed to the prompt removal of everything having a tendency to produce disease, and the natural healthiness of the city, with its great advantages in the points of

sewerage, superficial drainage, and of an abundant supply of wholesome water.

October 27th, 1849.

B. GERHARD, <i>Chairman.</i>	ROBERT HUTCHINSON,
ALGN. S. ROBERTS,	A. W. THOMPSON,
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A. G. WATERMAN,	JOHN TRUCKS.
EDMUND WILCOX,	

Statement of Expenditures by the Sanitary Committee, and the Cleansing Committee of the Councils of the City of Philadelphia, for sanitary purposes during the summer of 1849.

Amount paid for Extra Cleansing in small streets, courts, and alleys,	\$4138 92
Extra Policemen at Station-Houses and Hospitals,	304 49
Miscellaneous expenditures, including printing, advertising, cost of lime, chloride of lime, copperas, &c., messengers, labourers, clerk, &c.	1276 73
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	\$5720 14
Paid for 2450 feet hose—12 set hose bridges and 20 wheelbarrows,	\$1268 58
Cost of Shanteas on city lot for the use of poor families, removed from their dwellings by the Board of Health,	347 50
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	\$7336 22

APPENDIX, No. LXXXII.

To the Select and Common Councils :

The Committee on Police, respectfully report :

That the case of Robert Ralston a night policeman, is one that recommends itself to the attention and relief of Councils.

It appears from the testimony adduced before your Committee, that Mr. Ralston while attending at a fire in Franklin place, on the 16th of August, 1848, was exposed to extraordinary fatigue, and afterwards compelled to the privation of usual rest, and of an opportunity to change his thoroughly wetted clothing during the remainder of the night. From these causes he contracted a disease—consumption ;—to which it does not appear he was pre-disposed ;—which for the past six months has daily diminished his power of maintaining a dependent family, and gradually wasting away his life.

Your Committee therefore recommend the adoption of the bill annexed.

CHAS. A. POULSON, *Chairman.*

JOHN TRUCKS,

J. B. LANCASTER,

WILLIAM MORRIS,

ROBERT HUTCHINSON,

JOHN P. WETHERILL,

FREDK. LENNIG,

Committee Room, }
Sept. 17, 1849. }

Committee on Police.

An Ordinance

Making an appropriation for the relief of Robert Ralston, a night policeman.

SECT. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Citizens of Philadelphia, in Select and Common Councils assembled,* That the sum of fifty dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated to the Committee on Police, to be paid to Robert Ralston a disabled night policeman of District No. 2.

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